Today

(Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)

2 Stabs, Heart and Back Duke Edward Answers Harder to Keep Than Get Shoes $300 a Pair

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

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The Archbishop of Canterbury's attack on Edward, formerly King of England, has rendered no service to the Church of England.

The few churches that still enjoy government recognition and support should be cautious. One English writer, referring to the Archbishop's statement that the former King had given him the Archbishop, "a stab though his own heart," remarks that it did not take the Archbishop long, "before following with another stab in the back."

Bishop of Durham, Associate dignitary of the Archbishop of Canterbury, dazzled by the bright light that radio gives to a few, says he thought the Church of England "was an Episcopal Church, governed by the bishops reigning in several dioceses. Now I find it is coming to be some kind of a novel body governed by the British Broadcasting Corporation and two Archbishops."

That sounds like schism, and look out for that.

Duke Edward, safe in Richard's Austrian castle, is said to have remarked in reply to the Archbishop that lovesick marriages such as royalty contracts, are "immoral, unnatural, comparable to the breeding of pedigreed animals, disastrous to dynasties that insist on them."

To that statement, its authenticity is not guaranteed, the duke might have added that breeders of pedigreed animals at least pick out good pedigrees, avoiding hereditary taints.

It is harder to get rich than it was, and harder to keep the money. In 1935 41 Americans had incomes averaging about $1,000,000; $1,000,000 was the exact average of the 41, and their average income tax was $1,010,000. It may comfort the down-trodden to know that the 41 were working largely for them. It would hardly do to take ALL they got, because the smart ones might stop working, and then who would support the government and provide money for the dole?

Pierre Yanlorny is dead; an Italian bootmaker, he had in Paris the most expensive bootshop in the world. His lowest price for any pair of shoes was three hundred dollars, and he would take no order for less than five pairs at a time. If a woman with pretty feet came, unable to pay the price, he might make her shoes for nothing; he was an Italian, Calabrese, in Paris.

Yanlorny went to school for six months in his ninth year, no other education, worked two years in an Italian macaroni factory from six in the morning to six at night for four cents a day, then learned the bootmaker's trade, and really learned it.

An unfortunate young woman was found dead in a New Jersey wood; reporters thought it "real news," something that never happened before; it was believed the victim had been murdered in an airplane and thrown overboard. Footprints dispelled that theory and the "loosed-from-an-airplane" murder is still to come.

Young people that practice writing might map out something headed, "Hurled into the hereafter four times, clouds to elods," and Hollywood might think it over. What a stirring scene: The hero, a Chinese who has studied jiu-jitsu hurls the would-be airplane murderer-villain overboard, and brings the plane down safely. Then, own "let," although she had never flown before in her life.

Chancellor Hitler orders Nazis to cease attacks on Christianity; they angrily refuse his wants, and Hitler depends on the peasants for food to carry out his program and feed his army.

The hard-working German peasant, often wearing leather garments inherited from great-grandfather, looks up at the sky to rest for a moment, then back to the ground to resume his hard work, and thinks of the sky. He will not thank anybody for telling him, "No use looking at the sky; there is nothing up there for you."

Wheat rises to the highest price in seven years, $1.35, knowledge that Germany needs a million tons of foreign grain helped, all cereals went up. Let us hope no experts in Washington will suggest cutting down the United States' cereal crop by government edict. Such things as short crops have been known.

Fortunately, the corn crop has been good. This writer, also a farmer, his writing paying for his farming, raised excellent corn in Monmouth County, N. J., much of it averaging eight hundred and fifty grains to the ear. The West doubtless does better, but that is good for

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EDWARD, WALLY PLAN CIVIL WEDDING TO REBUKE BISHOP

THE WEATHER

Rain, probably late tonight and Thursday; slight temperature change; mostly above freezing; moderate easterly to southerly winds.

Highest temperature in 24 hours, 42 degrees at 12:00 p. m. Lowest temperature, 27 degrees at 4:00 a. m. Rainfall 48 hours ending at 8 a. m., 0.43 inch.

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'Sally' Houghton Bride in N.Y.

Beverly Belle Weds

MRS. JOHN STEWART McLENNAN, JR.

She Was "Sally" White Houghton, Divorcee

It was right—that story that Sarah "Sally" White Houghton, 24-year-old Beverly belle, would marry John Stewart McLennan, Jr., of New York—because they were married today.

They were married by Deputy City Clerk Philip A. Hines in the municipal chapel in New York city and the only witnesses were six attendants in the clerk's office and a photographer.

Needless to remark, it was a surprise to all the friends of both, who had been expecting something in the way of wedding bells but not so soon nor in a municipal chapel.

"Sally's" romance and marriage with Samuel Gilbert Houghton, brilliant Harvard graduate and magazine writer, ended with a decree in Virginia City, Nev., not even a month ago, November 20, to be exact.

The bride gave her name as Sarah Lansdowne White Houghton, her age, 24; occupation, artist; address, Hale street, Beverly; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lawton White.

McLennan gave his age as 21, occupation, musician; home, Tyngsboro, Mass.; parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart McLennan.

His father was former publisher of the Sydney, N. S., Post, a director of Dominion Steel & Coal Corporation and author of "History of Lunenburg County."

The bride wore a dark business suit with a boutonniere of gardenias, a black cloth coat, trimmed with natural and a hat to match.

Mr. and Mrs. McLennan declined to say where they were going on their honeymoon, or where they would live afterwards.

Hanlon, a former Boston assistant corporation counsel, had been attached in the Department of Internal Revenue in Washington for the past few years and is a close friend of the commissioner.

Riley is brother-in-law of Joseph Lomasney, secretary of the powerful Hendricks Club. He would fill the $9000-a-year judgeship left vacant by the death of Judge James H. Devlin.

Garage 'Drop Door' Kills Avon Boy, 4

Avon, Dec. 16—Four-year-old Ronnie Rigby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rigby of East street, was crushed to death under the heavy "drop-door" of his father's garage today.

His father had taken his car out of the garage when the door fell on Robert. His mother was prostrated with grief.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at St. Michael's Church, Avon.

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B. U. Grad Pleads Guilty as Burglar

EATON OUSTED ON DEVER'S 'ILLEGALLY HIRED' RULING

$37,860 PAY IN 11 YEARS CENSORED

By BERNARD J. DOHERTY

Henry C. Eaton, confidential adviser to Chairman Charles P. Howard of the department of administration and finance, has been on the state payroll illegally for nearly eleven years, Attorney-General Dever ruled today.

Not only was Eaton's original appointment illegal early in 1926, Dever found, but so were subsequent pay raises authorized by various councils.

According to records at the State House, Eaton has been paid a total of $37,860. His salary for the past six years has been $3000 annually.

Although Howard had immediately to the ruling and ordered Eaton removed, it was a hard blow, for the chairman was expected to lose his own post and his removal from the department entirely was more than a possibility.

It was, at the same time, a bit

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Hanlon Looms As Timility Aide

Two appointments regarded as certain as the Governor's council met today were those of Daniel J. Hanlon of Dorchester as counsel to Police Commissioner Timilty and of Attorney Joseph Riley of Hyde Park to associate judge of the municipal court.

B. U. Grad Confesses Burglary

James R. Davis, 24, of Commonwealth avenue, Allston, graduate of Boston University last year, pleaded guilty in Quincy Court today to burglary.

The court ordered his case to the grand jury and held him in $5000 bail.

Davis is charged with breaking and entering in the night time and larceny of Oriental rugs, jewelry and silverware valued at $1791 from the home of Sherman Thayer, Atlantic avenue, Cohasset.

Davis surrendered to Boston police yesterday after being told by his mother that Cohasset police were seeking him in connection with the burglary. Following arrest, he guided police to pawnshops and an apartment where loot valued at $1100 was recovered, police said.

Chief of Police Hegler Pelletier of Cohasset said today he expects to make another arrest today.

Thomas Magner, 2d., was in Quincy court yesterday on the same charge, pleaded not guilty and was held in $5000 for the grand jury. He was remanded to Dedham jail because of inability to obtain bail.

Hoover Sails Out For Gulf Fishing

Miami Beach, Fla., Dec. 16 (AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover sailed out to the Gulf Stream for fishing today aboard the yacht Virago, owned by George F. Getz, former treasurer of the Republican National Committee.

7 LOST IN AIR FEARED DEAD BY PILOT

Salt Lake City, Dec. 16 (AP)—Belief seven occupants of a lost Western Air Express transport plane never will be found alive was voiced today by Pilot Jimmy James, W. A. E., pilot aiding in the rain-hindered search.

Asked whether he believed the four passengers and crew of three were still alive in the transport missing more than 30 hours, Pilot James said:

"If they have not perished from the crash, they have died from exposure."

In rain and fog, fol a dozen planes joined the search today for the Western Air Express transport and its occupants—one a pretty stewardess who turned down romance for her job.

The planes, two of them open cockpit army craft, crisscrossed over a rain drenched strip between Salt Lake City and Provo 45 miles south of here, coming in the vicinity of the village of Alpine, 25 miles southeast of here.

"We are depending heavily on the ground crews, because of the weather," said Frank Estman, Western Air station manager.

Fifteen mounted searchers, familiar with the slopes of the mountains north of Alpine, scattered over the rough terrain. Other groups of CCC enrollees and Brigham Young University students,

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RACE RESULTS AT TROPICAL PARK

EARLY CHARTS AND RACE RESULTS ON PAGE 29

Second—Over Yonder, 115 (South), 11.20, 4.20, 2.90; Lotefus, 107 (Schraudenbach), 2.80, 2.20; Transit Lady, 107 (Bierman), 2.70. Also ran—Joan D., Amqui, Emvee, Vitofol, Westys Duchess, Chance Queen.

DAILY DOUBLE—Emir, 1st; Over Yonder, 2nd—PAY OFF $130.80

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2—Oddess Boy
3—Col Junior
Scratched—Blue King
4—Ha Nibe
5—The Queen
6—Mint Flavor
7—Lady Day
8—Flickering

First	Second	Third
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2 Die as Car Hits Pole at Lincoln

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Two Waltham men were instantly killed and a third slightly hurt in an auto crash in South Great road, Lincoln, today when their machine left the road and hurtled into a pole.

Victims of the accident were Leonard J. Hennessey, 26, believed to have been the driver, and James J. Powers, 35, both of Flaks street, Waltham.

Only slightly hurt was Raymond Garigan, 27, of Felton street, Waltham, who was taken to his home after treatment for numerous cuts and bruises.

GIRL FINDS CAR

Hennessey was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Hennessey. He was unmarried and employed as a plumber. He graduated from St. Mary's parochial and high school, Waltham. In addition to his parents, he leaves a sister, Mrs. James McCarthy of Auburndale.

Powers was also single and a plumber. He leaves a widowed mother, Mrs. Margaret Powers, and two brothers, John and George, and a sister, Mrs. Katherine Moreland. He, too, graduated from St. Mary's parochial and high school. He was a World War veteran.

The crash was discovered by Miss Dorothy M. Welkins, of Concord street, Newton Lower Falls, who discovered the wrecked car while driving past the scene.

Realizing she could not help the men injured in the pole, having the three occupants out of the car.

Powers and Hennessey were apparently instantly killed, while Garigan, police said, luckily landed in such a way that he escaped with only cuts and bruises.

Miriam Hopkins Hurt in Auto Crash

Beverly Hills, Cal., Dec. 16 (AP)—Miriam Hopkins, film actress, was nursing a tender nose and a dislocated shoulder today and Mrs. Fred Astaire, wife of the film dancer, had numerous bruises, result of a collision between their automobiles during a rainstorm.

Yvonne Mallel, Miss Hopkins' maid, suffered two broken ribs but refused hospital treatment, and the Hopkins chauffeur said he was uninjured. Mrs. Astaire was driving her own car.

EDWARD MAY BAN CHURCH WEDDING

LOVE'S BATTLE

Edward, ex-King, reported laying plans for a civil wedding ceremony with Mrs. Simpson, with no religious service, as a rebuke to the Archbishop of Canterbury. Receives mail from London of such import as to cause him to cancel luncheon engagement. Phones Wally thrice.

London in throes of excitement over Archbishop's attack hears cabinet ousters may result from Edward's abdication. Labor leader charges bishops and politicians hounded King off throne.

Cannes society split widens over proposal of mayor to make Mrs. Simpson an honorary citizen.

By ALFRED TYRNAUER

International News Service Staff Correspondent

Vienna, Dec. 16—Unexpected arrival of a special courier from London with letters reported to bear on his plans to answer the Archbishop of Canterbury's scathing criticism of his "social circle" today caused former King Edward to cancel a Vienna luncheon engagement with Sir Walford Selby, British minister.

While details of the courier's mission were not revealed, it was understood at least one of the letters was from Queen Mary.

The former king is known to be sharply resentful of the archbishop's criticism, feeling the prelate must be aware neither he nor his friends can defend themselves against his charges in the usual way.

Whether he actually will make any official statement is a matter for keen speculation, but his decision to have only a civil marriage when the time comes for him to marry Mrs. Warfield Simpson is obviously based upon his determination to give the church no opportunity for interference.

Reports he may eventually for

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Balances and Receipts

Washington, Dec. 16—Today's Treasury balance, $1,450,167,170.12; U. S. Customs receipts, $19,151,995.

The REAL Mrs. Simpson -- By Adela Rogers St. Johns

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EDWARD PLANS CIVIL WEDDING AS BLOW AT BISHOP

CABINET OUSTER RUMORED OVER HIS ABDICATION

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sake the Church of England entirely as a rebuff to the archbishop could not be confirmed. Such a step is believed to be not out of the question as long as he remains in his present frame of mind, but he has given no indication of having reached a decision.

The ex-king was in telephonic communication with Mrs. Simpson at Cannes three times during the day. He plans to attend a movie scene in his host's castle tonight.

HE PONDERS RETORT

Still planning to make some reply to the English primate, the Duke has discussed the situation with Mrs. Simpson over the telephone and with the Hon. Piers Legh, his equerry, and other intimates.

Windsor played golf with his host, Baron Eugene de Rothschild, at Castle Enzesfeld again this morning, giving the lie to reports that he is indisposed.

Another aspect of his quarrel with the Archbishop of Canterbury, and one that has endeared him to the local populace, was Edward's generous contribution to the Christmas fund of the local parish.

Villagers are now hoping that the Duke will attend Christmas Eve mass at the local church.

Edward in High Humor Losing Game to Baroness

Enzesfeld, Austria, Dec. 16 (AP)—His headache gone and his dependency vanished, the Duke of Windsor challenged his hostess to a golf game today and was beaten soundly by American-born Baroness Rothschild.

The former British King shouted "fore" as he teed off, when his partner made a difficult tee shot on one hole.

Then he stepped up to the ball and dubbed a drive only two yards as far as the baroness had sent her pellet skimming down the fairway.

"Pshaw!" ejaculated the Duke, laughing heartily.

The British prince's mood was considerably improved although reliable reports said he was still irked by the criticism of the Archbishop of Canterbury.

Baron Eugene de Rothschild, at whose castle the former King is staying, disclosed Edward was deeply stirred by the radio broadcast Sunday in which the archbishop, spiritual leader of the British Empire, rebuked him and his friends.

It was said the self-exiled King might make a fiery answer to the archbishop's empire-wide censure, especially of Edward's friends, as one of the first uses of his dearly-bought personal freedom.

Even more than by the stornful reference to Edward's desire to marry Mrs. Simpson as a violation of the "Christian principle of marriage," the former ruler was said to have been angered by the archbishop's aspersions on his friends.

PARLIAMENT MAY ACT

(The head of the Church of England placed part of the blame for the King's conduct on Edward's circle of intimate companions whose "standards and ways of life are alien to all the best interests of his people.")

It was understood there would be no final decision until it was learned whether the attack would come up for parliamentary debate in London and what the character of such legislative discussions would be.

The text of the Archbishop's speech, broadcast Sunday throughout the British empire by a radio network, was received here yesterday.

Mass invitations showered in on the melancholy brooding duke and only a few of the messages for him were "of old castles for sale."

One heartfelt invitation, reputedly from the former regent Paul of Yugoslavia, urged Windsor to "come down and forget," and mentioned several excellent hideaways.

22 CASES OF BEER

Other invitations came also from sympathetic members of Greek and Hungarian aristocracy. His Austrian friends, however, seemed determined to keep him.

The Rothschilds usually leave for Paris after the Christmas holidays but it was reported authoritatively Edward was considering their invitation to remain at Enzesfeld and make it his headquarters —from which to make excursions—for as long as he likes.

Lord Rothschild, aide to the former monarch, scurried about on mysterious missions to Vienna.

Indication that more carefree days may lie ahead for the royal exile were seen in the delivery of 22 cases of Windsor's favorite Austrian beer.

The brewery provided a gay Christmas touch by decorating each bottle with a fir twig.

The tiny Enzesfeld postoffice was swamped with letters, telegrams and packages addressed to the duke. The postmaster took over an extra room and added a night shift.

Cabinet Ouster Looms Over King's Abdication

By DAVID P. SENTNER
International News Service Staff Correspondent

London, Dec. 16—Former King Edward is far from the storm center, but the tempest stirred by his abdication ran through cabinet circles today like a cold wind.

Political observers here and on the continent were unanimous in the belief that the resignation of Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, which is expected to follow the coronation of King George VI, will be followed by the ouster of Sir John Simon, foreign secretary, and Sir Samuel Hoare, first lord of the admiralty.

Both Simon and Hoare were members of the cabinet which forced Edward to abdicate.

Baldwin's resignation is expected to be followed by a general election in which the issue will be the abdication.

Simon and Hoare, it is believed, will be sacrificed to the wrath of the voters.

Today his first horse raced under the royal colors—Marconi, the favorite in the Windsor steeplechase.

Queen Elizabeth is recovering from influenza, but her recurrent illnesses today caused Lloyds to set the premium for insurance against postponement of the coronation, set for May 12, at 20 per cent.

The royal family, with Queen Mother Mary, will spend the Christmas season at Sandringham House, it was announced.

The Duke of Windsor, according to the Daily Express, will get at least $125,000 from Parliament—"an annual income adequate to his rank and standing"—but he'll have no income tax on it.

Princess Elizabeth, as her presumptive, probably will get $100,000 annually when she comes of age at 18. She's 10 now.

Wally Buys Edward Two Gift Ties

Cannes, France, Dec. 16 (US)—Mrs. Wallis Warfield Simpson was greatly distressed by the Archbishop of Canterbury's radio sermon in London, Sunday night, in which the prelate criticized Edward and his friends.

Mrs. Simpson mentioned her distress over the broadcast to Edward in a telephone conversation, quoting several passages of the archbishop's speech to the duke.

During a shopping trip to Nice, Mrs. Simpson bought Christmas gifts—three handbags, some dainty chiffon handkerchiefs and two men's ties, one dark blue with red and white polka dots, the other brown with white dots.

The ties were believed to be for Edward.

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CHINESE ARMY WILL AVENGE WAR LORD

Shanghai, Dec. 16—An army campaign to rescue Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek if alive and avenge him if dead was reported unofficially to have been voted today by the executive Yuan (governing committee) of the Chinese government at Nanking.

The goal of the punitive expedition, it was stated, would be Sianfu, Shensi province, the stronghold of Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang, who kidnaped the generalissimo, China's most powerful individual, last week.

Official sources have been unable to state whether Chiang is alive or dead—and there were rumors that a punitive expedition might result in his execution if he still lives.

Eight of 10 Chinese divisions already have been reported moving in on Shensi province with numerous skirmishes resulting.

Gen. Ho Ying-Chin, the minister of war and acting head of the military affairs commission replacing Generalissimo Chiang in his absence, was reported named commander-in-chief of the punitive force.

Chiang's fate spread unrest throughout China. Shorn of his strong man, Chinese leaders foresaw a lack of firm leadership to guide the nation.

Alarm was so widespread the government established "military control"—equivalent to martial law—and gave reassurance to banks and businessmen that there was no danger of the chaos that town officials predicted.

Officials said they believed Chiang to be alive. They had a definite statement from W. H. Donald, their Australian-born adviser, who sent a message he saw Chiang yesterday and gave hopes for the captured general's early release.

Chiang, however, was said to have sent word he wished the rebel Chang and his troops smashed.

POPE RESTLESS, TAKES HEART STIMULANT

Vatican City, Dec. 16 (AP)—Pope Pius XI awoke today after an uncomfortable night following a relapse from the ailments which have kept him bed-ridden for 21 days.

The 79-year-old Pontiff, however, was reported still adamant in his determination to regard his illness merely as the inescapable effect of old age.

Dr. Amanti Milani, his physician, went to the Papal apartments equally determined that the Pope exert himself as little as possible.

He tried to persuade the Holy Father that rest, and nothing but rest, could safeguard him against a relapse such as he suffered yesterday when his breathing became difficult.

Although the Pope expressed his desire to lengthen his conferences with the papal secretary, orders were issued barring anyone from approaching him except on the most urgent business.

It was understood his discomfort during the night was due to his difficulty in breathing and also to pain resulting from the varicose condition of his left leg.

Both the Pope's legs became partly paralyzed when he was stricken. Congestion of his circulatory system, Vatican officials said, prior to his relapse, had improved.

Dr. Milani administered a heart stimulant yesterday. Vatican sources said, but the Pope rallied only temporarily. They said he seemed to feel great fatigue later and still was depressed when he retired.

His Holiness spent several hours yesterday in an armchair, seeing visitors and administering his affairs.

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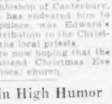

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Good-Will Plane Off to Puerto Rico

Miami, Fla., Dec. 16 (AP)—Pan-American Airways reported a plane answering the description of that flown by Joseph Costa of Corning, N. Y., on a good-will flight to Brazil was headed today from the Dominican Republic for Puerto Rico.

Two Tallies Marked Up for Death

LEONARD J. HENNESSEY

TODAY

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the effete East. What was your best ear, how long, how many grains?

China's generalissimo, Chiang-Kai-Shek, and several other generals have been shot because the generalissimo would not declare war against Japan. Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang told calmly on the radio how he ordered the executions.

Presumably, he will fight Japan, in which case, Japan will have a virtuous reason for taking more Chinese territory.

A strike of French peasants, cutting off the vegetable supply of Paris, makes you wonder what would happen if a nationwide farm strike should occur. That really would put up the price of wheat and other foods.

Japanese Weigh Death Consequence

Tokyo, Dec. 16 (AP)—The possible death of China's Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek as the captive of a Chinese warlord moved Japanese officials today to the grave possibility of a war which might involve Japan.

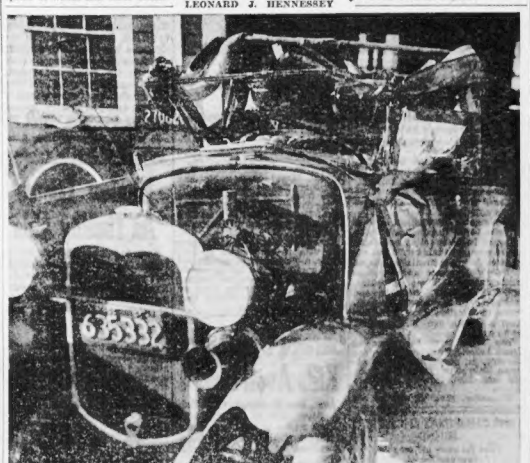
There were two avenues of speculation: First that the kidnaping of Chiang was Communist-inspired; second that the chaotic condition existing in China threatened Japanese interests and territory and was especially dangerous to the Japanese-created empire of Manchoukuo.

Grid Injury Fatal To E. Boston Boy

Injuries received during a football game two years ago while he was playing on the East Boston high school team today resulted in the death of John Sullivan, 17, of 332 Chelsea street, East Boston.

During a game two years ago Sullivan injured his right knee which necessitated removal of his leg. A tumor from the knee injury spread to his chest causing him to be bed-ridden for the past two months, according to Dr. Louis Schraffa, who attended him.

Sullivan leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sullivan and a sister, a nun in St. Michael's convent, Lowell. Her religious name is Sister Maria Conceptus.



Ready for the junk yard is this pile of wreckage, which was an automobile before it crashed into a pole in South Great road, Lincoln, today, instantly killing two men and, strangely, only slightly injuring a third. The victims were, Leonard J. Hennessey, 26, and James J. Powers, 38, both of Fiske street, Waltham. Slightly hurt was Raymond Garigan, 27, of Felton street, Waltham.

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Xmas Tree Item

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Cannes Society in Bitter Split Over 'Citizen Wally'

Royalty Skiis On Into Love

LOVE TRIP ON YACHT TALKED

By ROBERT CHASSEUIL
International News Service Staff Correspondent

Cannes, France, Dec. 16 — Mayor Pierre Noveau's plan to make Mrs. Wallis Simpson an honorary citizen of Cannes today split residents of this fashionable seaside playground and made the unwitting American the center of a bitter controversy.

The large British colony, which was almost literally bowled over by Edward's abdication, and which voices constant disapproval of Mrs. Simpson's role, condemns the mayor's scheme as "a cheap publicity stunt" for Cannes.

Mrs. Simpson's defenders, however—and there are many here among the American and French residents—rally round the mayor's gesture, pointing out that it was merely a courteous and an expression of the town's gratitude for the many years of the Duke of Windsor's patronage when he was Prince of Wales.

Guard for Her

Mrs. Simpson will continue to be accompanied by bodyguards as long as newspapermen, cameramen and the public continue to manifest their present interest in her, Herman L. Rogers, host of the Villa Leo Vrei, said today.

Rogers said everyone at the villa was remaining aloof from the controversy in Cannes over making Mrs. Simpson an honorary citizen. Asked whether she was interested in the situation, Rogers said:

"Oh, yes, I am interested, but it is quite independent of the villa. I assure you no steps have been taken in any direction on this subject."

Michael Arlen, the playwright, planned to visit the villa late today, International News Service learned.

Reports persisted today Mrs. Simpson would soon board Mrs. Reginald Fellowes' yacht, the Sister Anne, for a two or three-day cruise in the Mediterranean. The yacht is ready for instant departure.

Such a voyage would be in line with the ex-King's suggestion to Mrs. Simpson that she and her voluntary "imprisonment" in the villa as well as afford her a measure of privacy impossible on land.

Wide World photo.

King Edward VIII, now the Duke of Windsor and the world's most notable love exile, scaled the peaks with Mrs. Wallis Simpson and skied down in a giddy love swirl when last they visited Kitzbuhel, in the Austrian Tyrol Alps. He is back in Austria planning to retort angrily to the Archbishop of Canterbury's attack and arranging with Wally for their marriage. In photo Edward is shown just back of Wally. Guides carry their skis.

Two Archbishops Named in Canada

Vatican City, Dec. 16 (AP)—Pope Pius today named Most Rev. Arthur Melanson, bishop of Gravelbourg, Sask., archbishop of the new archdiocese of Moncton.

Most Rev. J. Hughes MacDonald, bishop of Victoria, was named coadjutor archbishop of Edmonton with the right of succession with the title Archbishop of Mocsari.

Most Melanson was consecrated in 1922 as bishop of Gravelbourg. Most MacDonald was consecrated in 1934 as bishop of Victoria.

Jury Instructed, Maxwell Trial Verdict Soon

Wise, Va., Dec. 16 (INS)—Interrupted only by a request that the sheriff remove a crying baby and his mother from the courtroom, Judge Ezra Carter read his instructions to the jury today in the second murder trial of Edith Maxwell, 22-year-old mountain "beauty queen" charged with beating Grace Maxwell, her elderly father, to death.

A two-hour controversy between counsel and the judge preceded instruction of the jury. What was discussed could not be ascertained.

Final arguments were to start shortly after completion of the instructions. The case will then go to the jury with a verdict possible by nightfall.

Edith was sentenced to a 25-year prison term at her first trial.

TEA CARGO DUMPED

342 Chests Thrown in Harbor

Boston, Dec. 16, 1773—A matter of grave import to the citizens of the Bay Colony occupied at Griffin's Wharf tonight.

Several scores of men in Indian costume, hoarded three British vessels, lately arrived from Liverpool, and dumped a cargo of 342 chests of tea into the harbor.

The chests were ripped open by sturdy blows from axes and tomahawks wielded by the boarders.

The proceedings followed a stormy protest meeting at the South Meeting House where Samuel Adams and Josiah Quincy led the protest against unloading of the tea.

A warning to the ship owners had already been made by the Committee of Correspondence. Orders of clearance, sought by the ships masters who saw the storm brewing on the horizon, had been refused by the collector.

The value of the cargo was estimated at 18,000 pounds.

One well known wag was said to have remarked that this would show the Tories what a real Boston tea party was like.

Serious observers viewed the incident with alarm and predicted critical times ahead for the Colony.

MELON Riches Now FLOW

SHARE OWNERS GET MILLIONS

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—Postmen throughout the nation carried today checks representing the $150,000,000 advance guard of one of the greatest seven-day dividend distributions in the history of American industry.

Within the week, in the form of extra, increased and regular dividend checks, a cool $520,000,000 will find its way through the mails to many thousands of shareholders.

Analysts hesitated to estimate that portion of the vast melon which will hit in the last few days of Christmas buying. Some predicted it would be fairly large.

They looked, also, to heavy reinvestment of the unexpected windfall funds. Much of it, they thought, will find its way back, in one form or another, into industry in new capital for plant expansion and creation of wider business channels.

DAUGHTER OF M. I. T. PROF. TO MARRY SWOPE

(Picture from International News Photograph Service.)

Miss Sarah Porter Hunsaker of Louisburg square, Beacon Hill, whose engagement to David Swope of Ossining, N. Y., has been announced. She is the daughter of Professor C. Hunsaker, of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The groom-to-be is the son of Gerard Swope, president of the General Electric Company.

FRANK'S OUSTER URGED BY REGENT

WISCONSIN U. SPLIT IN ROW

Madison, Wis., Dec. 16 (AP)—Harold M. Wilkie, president of the Board of Regents today proposed the retirement of President Glenn Frank of the University of Wisconsin.

Wilkie told the regents that he could not vote for the renewal of Dr. Frank's contract next June.

He asked that Dr. Frank's future status be disposed of by the board as a whole.

"Over a long period there has developed an increasing dissatisfaction with Dr. Frank's administration of the presidency of the university," Wilkie said.

UNFAIR AND UNTRUE

"It is unfair and untrue in attribute this dissatisfaction to anything remotely connected with partisan politics. It arises solely and entirely out of Dr. Frank's conduct of the presidency.

"The criticism of Dr. Frank's administration is not of recent origin and not partisan in character."

A demand that any attempt to remove President Frank be brought before the open came today from Regent Daniel Grady of Portage as the board gathered for a budget meeting.

Rumors had persisted that a progressive bloc of regents, headed by Wilkie, planned to force the resignation of Dr. Frank.

Students directed that several of their groups have dismissed plans for a walkout if the ouster movement materializes. One spokesman claimed 3000 students of the 8000 enrolled would quit classes.

More than 100 New York alumni of Wisconsin demanded last night that no action be taken "until the alumni and the public are apprised of all the facts involved."

APPEAL BY N. E. R.

At Washington the national education association appealed by wire to Governor Phillip F. LaFollette to prevent the removal of the president.

If the board lineup is the same as it was a week ago when the budget leadership was taken out of Dr. Frank's hands, he will face opposition today from 8 of the 15 regents. At the meeting last week the board voted to prepare its own budget statement for presentation to Governor LaFollette Thursday. In the past this has been done by Dr. Frank alone.

Antioch Situation Studied

Geneva, Dec. 16 (AP)—Official observers, charged with investigating reports of Syrian-Turkish clashes around Alexandretta and Antioch, will be sent to the Near East soon, the League of Nations council decided today.

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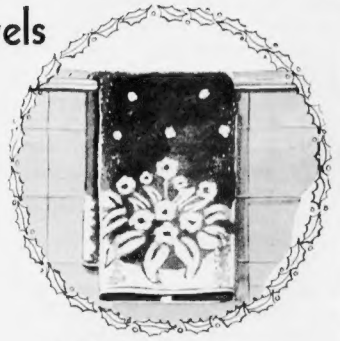

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White mosaic bridge sets
Hand-embroidered 36x36 cloth and 4 napkins $3.50

C.—Quaker lace tablecloths
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Peasant linen bridge sets
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The CONTINENTAL

Boylston at Washington St. Open Evenings Before Christmas

GIRL, 3, ASLEEP FOR 15 MONTHS

'SANTA' CAN'T AWAKEN HER

Erie, Pa., Dec. 16 (AP)—A gay Santa Claus doll meant nothing to three-year-old Maxine Yarrington today—nor did the excitement in a children's ward of a hospital as nurses prepared a Christmas tree.

Little Maxine's big brown eyes stared straight ahead—she is asleep, has been sleeping for 15 months with her eyes wide open.

Nurses made the little Santa Claus doll gleefully hold out its arms for a baby's embrace. They held it before Maxine but her eyes didn't change.

Physicians and nurses agreed that Christmas will be "just another day for her."

They have little hope that she ever will recover from the coma which has baffled them since September 24, 1935.

The little girl tosses about in her crib. Sometimes her eyes flash, and she utters strange sounds.

But through it all she sleeps.

Maxine has been a favorite of nurses since her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Yarrington of Fairview, brought her to the hospital.

At first it was considered impossible for Maxine to live. Nurses fed her carefully and watched her grow strong and sturdy.

Then, a few weeks ago, she became severely ill from an unidentified malady. For several days her temperature hovered about 106. She still slept.

Now nurses are preparing a Christmas party for the five other children in the ward. There'll be a Christmas tree and gifts for all.

Gifts for all but Maxine—physicians say there isn't a chance she will awaken, and, if she did, she would do so as a baby unable to talk, not as three-year-old child.

Child Ends Long Trip

All the way from Stockport, England, came this serious little English miss, Brenda Mae Kelly, aged two, to visit her aunt, Mrs. Albert Bourne, in Danvers for the Christmas holidays. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Godfrey Potts, accompanied her.

GIRL, 2, CROSSES OCEAN

Laconia Lands Notables Here

A demure little English girl, aged two, who sat with perfect poise for the newspaper photographers, stole the show today from normal priorities when the liner Laconia docked at the Army Base.

She is Brenda Mae Kelly, daughter of Mrs. Mae Kelly of Stockport, England, and she was accompanied on the trip by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Godfrey Potts, also of Stockport.

The three will enjoy a family Christmas reunion with the child's aunt, Mrs. Albert Bourne, of Maple street, Danvers.

His fellow-passengers agreed that she had been the "belle of the ball" at the children's gay Christmas party in the ship's salon on the last day out.

Among 25 passengers disembarking here were Subramanyan Sekhar, 26-year-old graduate of the University of Madras, and for the past six years a professor at Cambridge, and his bride of a month. They are on their way to Chicago, where he will become a research assistant in astronomy at the University of Chicago.

Returning from the fifth national congress of radiology in London was Dr. Arthur C. Christie of Washington, president of the association, who read a paper on the diagnosis and treatment of lung cancer.

Girl Hit-Runner Unable to Appeal In Auto Death

"There is no court appeal open for 17-years-old Marion Lesogor, Mattapan schoolgirl, who was sentenced on Monday to six months in jail on a hit-and-run death charge, District Attorney Edmund R. Dewing said today.

Nor has Attorney William R. Scharton made any appearance for the girl, the Norfolk county prosecutor remarked concerning reports that Scharton would reopen the case.

"Mr. Scharton did confer with me yesterday," said Dewing, "but it was not about the Lesogor case. It was about another case entirely."

Dewing said that Judge Fredrick W. Fosdick had settled the Lesogor case finally when he refused to allow the girl's counsel to retract a guilty plea after sentencing. The judge remarked at that time:

"You can't play games with this court. You did not receive the break you expected and you must take the consequences."

Scharton was quoted in one of the morning newspapers as saying that he believed an inquest into the death of Patrick Furr, victim in the Lesogor accident, might be an avenue for reopening the case. Scharton also said he might take the case to the governor.

2 Lynn Wives Claim Mates 'Run Around'

Salem, Dec. 16—Their husbands' infatuations with other women lasted longer than their own marriages, two Lynn wives testified today in Salem Probate Court to win divorces from Judge Edward B. O'Brien.

Mrs. Nellie Dow said her husband, John, began "running around" with other women three years after his marriage, that he deserted her in 1929—later to marry a church organist he met in Troy, N. Y.

Dow obtained a divorce in Mexico to wed the organist in 1934, she said, adding she wanted a Massachusetts divorce to be sure it's legal.

Mrs. Lydia Harrington, also of Lynn, declared her husband, John, became infatuated in 1927 with the daughter of her woman friend. After promising to give her up he continued seeing her for two years and finally left his home in 1929, Mrs. Harrington testified.

A cross-complaint opposing the wife's petition was dismissed by Judge O'Brien.

2 Issues Settled In Big Sea Strike

San Francisco, Dec. 16 (AP)—Negotiators for offshore shipowners and seagoing unions reported "tentative accord" on two major issues that attacked the problem of wages and working conditions today in an effort to end the 68-day Pacific coast maritime strike.

Harry Lundeberg, head of the powerful Sailors' Union, said tentative agreement had been reached on hiring halls and penalties for violating working agreements, two issues which long have snagged peace efforts.

Christmas Tree Bridge and Whist

The Boston Newspapermen's Post No. 305 will conduct a bridge and whist party Thursday, December 17, at 8 o'clock in the Post headquarters, 615 Washington st., Boston. President Agnes Aleman is in charge assisted by Evelyn Hogan and Hazel Campbell.

The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of the Christmas Tree Party to be held Sunday, December 20, at which time the WPA Vaudeville Unit will put on a show for the children.

PASTOR TESTIFIES IN BIGAMY TRIAL

SAYS HE WED KING, LANDLADY

A New Jersey pastor and the woman he said he married to a Weymouth man now charged with bigamy faced each other in Dedham superior court today.

The woman denied flatly that she had been wed by the pastor.

Summoned over night as a surprise witness at the trial of Arthur D. King, of South Weymouth, charged with bigamy by his former wife, Ethel, the Rev. George B. Harper testified he married King and Mrs. Ethel Barnes, a South Weymouth landlady.

Mrs. Barnes had denied once before she was married to King, and her attorney, Murry Payan, objected to her being recalled as a witness. Judge Frederick W. Fosdick overruled his objections.

HER REPLY DEFIANT

Under cross-examination by Assistant District Attorney George W. Arbickle, she repeated defiantly:

"I never saw this man before in my life."

She pointed to Rev. Harper.

Rev. Harper was summoned from his Weehawken pastorate after starting testimony in which it was stated that King became a boarder in the home of Mrs. Barnes and the latter's husband went to board at the home of King's first wife.

King was convicted in Quincy district court on a charge of bigamy resulting from the complaint of his former wife, Mrs. Ethel King, and the present case is the trial resulting from his appeal.

Hearing of the case revealed that King is now living at the home of Mrs. Olive Barnes of Main street, Weymouth, as a boarder.

In the course of the hearing it was brought out that Mrs. King obtained a divorce on grounds of cruel and abusive treatment in January. It was also stated in testimony that Mrs. Barnes divorced her husband in 1935 on the same grounds.

He testified that he was a boarder at the Barnes home, and that he met Mrs. Barnes through an advertisement in the paper for a chauffeur.

Maine Woman, 70, Burned to Death

Buckport, Me., Dec. 16 (AP)—Mrs. Charles Schubert, 70, was burned to death early today in a fire that destroyed her small home here.

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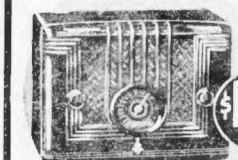

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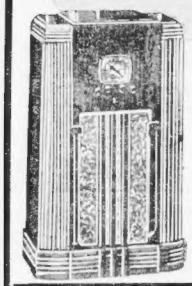

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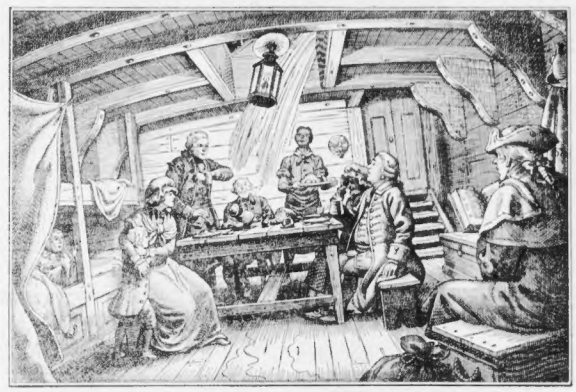

"We are jaulted to death by the motion of the ship"

A CONTRAST IN OCEAN TRAVEL

WE quote from the diary of a "lady of fashion" who in 1774 journeyed along the Atlantic coast in a sailing vessel.

"There is no such thing as being warm, do what we will, and tho' we have but little wind hitherto, yet we are jaulted to death by the motion of the ship in these rough seas. Yet the Capt. is every moment congratulating us on the smoothness of our Vessel, which he declares is so soft in her motion that one may play at Bowls on the deck. However, as I am like to beat my teeth out every time I try to drink and often after all am not able to bring the cup to such a direction as to obtain my desire, I cannot help thinking he rather overrates the gentleness of her motions, tho' the mate in confirmation of what his captain says, asserts that last time he sailed, even in a calm, they were forced to lie flat on their faces, which the hogs stubbornly refusing, had their brains knocked out on the side of the ship. How happy are we, who are only in danger of losing teeth and breaking limbs."

In contrast today you mount the gangplank of a modern liner in Boston and need not give up a single comfort. A coastwise trip to New York or Savannah, a cruise to Europe or the West Indies, offers the comfort and convenience of a modern hotel.

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WILDS OF UTAH SEARCHED FOR LOST PLANE

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from Provo, ended hours behind east and north of Alpine.

The 10-passenger, twin-motored Boeing that was found from at 8:37 a. m., mountain time, Tuesday, which it's pilot, R. J. Seamon, inclined his position over the south-western Utah settlers of Midvale.

However, word from a score of early risers in the vicinity of Tine Alpine, 25 miles southeast of here, that they had heard a plane in distress, led to concentration of the hunt in that region of the western slopes of the Wasatch mountains.

The plane left Los Angeles at 11:15 p. m., Pacific time, Monday night, and was due to Utah's mountain-ringed capital at 4:10 a. m., Pacific time, Tuesday.

Missing with the craft were the stewardess, Gladys Witt, Pilot

H. W. EDWARDS
Passenger on Plane

Seamon, mother William Hogue, and the passengers, Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe of Chicago; H. W. Edwards of Mississippi, and C. Christopher of Dwight, Ill.

H. G. Mitchell of Los Angeles, a passenger who boarded the plane at Vegas, Nevada, told of finding 26-year-old Miss Witt "most charming and fascinating" during the brief time he was aboard the ship on the romantic aeronautical voyage which made her a headline newsbelle.

ON VERGE OF WEDDING

The blonde stewardess recently was on the verge of marrying Frank K. Hoyer, previously executive in California. Hoyer, who met many fine East in talk things over with him during a recent transcontinental & Western Air at Kansas City.

The talked things over with both who wound up by marrying neither and got hung up and off.

At Los Angeles Miss Witt, a prerequisite inspect, transferred the Western Air Express offices to wait a day of Miss Witt, and when the plane was found grounded in an isolated spot he would be willing to keep from a passing ship with food and medical supplies.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe were honeymooning on their way to Chicago Wolfe's headquarters as was an important executive. Christopher, a former Hotel Bilgrim, was a prospector for four years in Alaska.

In Missing Plane Drama

STEWARDESS GLADYS WITT
Love Triangle Girl on Missing Plane

S. J. SAMSON

JAMES A. ROE

In headlines today with their transport plane more than a day overdue at Salt Lake City were Stewardess Gladys Witt and Pilot S. J. Samson. James A. Roe, a pilot, recently "talked things over" with Miss Witt, after she quit work to wed a coast shopping executive. She married neither. Instead she returned to work.

SIX RESCUED IN FIRE AT BROCKTON

Brockton, Dec. 16—Six persons, affected by smoke, were rescued from the fourth floor of a blazing building in Main street as a two-alarm fire swept the structure, causing $75,000 damage today.

The occupants, five of them elderly, were taken in a nearby hotel where they were treated by a physician and kept under observation.

The four-story structure was occupied on the first three floors by stores and offices of dentists, lawyers and other professional men and women. The fourth floor was given over to apartments.

Those rescued included the janitor of the building, Joseph B. Sullivan, 75, and his wife, Mrs. Mary Sullivan, 70, and their daughter, Mrs. Maude Corcoran, 48, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Dunbar, and Mrs. Serena A. Hocket, 85, a second widow.

The blaze, started, according to Fire Chief Evans E. Dickinson, in a cellar coal bin, apparently from spontaneous combustion.

'Mummified' Body Of Woman Foils Jersey Probers

Wildwood, N. J., Dec. 16 (AP)—The woman's body found in two potato crates in the wood along Dias creek was "mummified—not burned by fire or acid as thought at first," a medical criminologist declared today, after an autopsy.

The mystery of the body, with brilliant red polish on toe and finger nails, deepened as Dr. Harrison D. Martland, Essex county chief examiner, said the woman had not been shot, stabbed or strangled.

He said the body would be examined for poison.

He explained the "mummifying" by saying the body had been for a long time in a very hot and dry place, perhaps an attic.

"It was not kept in a cellar or vault—because there was no moisture or mold.

"The skin was brown like a mummy—but there was no evidence of fire or acid.

"There was a small fracture of the skull, but that was caused after death—how is not clear—and was not caused by a bullet."

He expressed the belief identification would be "extremely difficult, if not impossible."

Arraigned Today On Lottery Charge

Arrested in the South End on a charge of promoting a lottery, Samuel Lincoln, 28, of Johnston road, Mattapan, faced municipal court arraignment today.

B. U. Convocation Tomorrow Noon

In keeping with the season, Boston University will hold its annual Christmas Convocation in Tremont Temple, Tremont square, tomorrow noon, and hear President Daniel L. Marsh discuss "Why We Sing Christmas Carols." Five hundred voices of the B. U. C. E. will sing Christmas carols, as will all the B. U. chorus.

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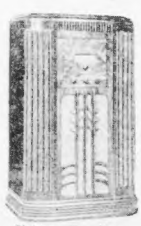

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EATON REMOVAL ORDERED BY HOWARD

Continued from First Page

umph for Governor Curley, whose demand for Eaton's resignation was challenged by Howard.

MURPHY MAY GET JOB

As the executive council went into session this afternoon it was forecast that Comptroller George H. Murphy of Lowell would replace Howard in the chairmanship of the important administration and finance department.

It was also said that Howard might be dismissed "for cause" and that the Eaton matter might furnish the "cause."

Howard announced he would fight removal, although he had not intended previously to serve out his term, which expires next year, until this matter came up.

All of this grows out of the hearing on the petition of three large companies which supplied fuel for state institutions. They asked for and received from the council an order overruling Howard and Eaton, who had penalized them more than $19,000.

WAIT REFUND DECISION

Whether or not the coal companies would actually get back the $19,000 rested on another ruling to be made by Dever on the legality of the council order. The state treasurer, Governor-elect Murphy, asked for this ruling after a protest by the state taxpayers' association.

Besides the Howard matter, however, the State House was flooded with reports and speculation on a workable makeover of the public welfare commission.

The prospective ouster from this commission of Richard D. Grant, former gubernatorial secretary, was apparently aching of the past, but it was said generally that Professor John J. Murphy went through as interim chairman.

Should he not only lose the chairmanship, but also his membership on the commission, there would be two vacancies. The other is that left by the death of Henry C. Atwood here a few weeks ago.

RUBBER ACTIVE

Abraham C. Webber, one-time utilities commissioner, as present a member of the state board of tax appeals, was very much in evidence around the governor's office and word spread that he might be going back to the utilities, possibly as chairman.

It was also said that John J. Curley, brother of the governor, and a recent appointee to the tax board, might also be moved over to the utilities commission.

Both could not be appointed, it was evident, unless Murray was "out" or the Grant matter was revived.

The rumored transfers, however, would leave two tax board "plums."

The governor gave no indication of his plan of strategy in either the utilities commission or the Howard matter, but he had remarked that it would be "too bad to disappoint" Howard, if the latter expected trouble.

Under the statutes it is claimed, Howard, like the police commissioner, can be ousted without a public hearing.

MAY REMOVAL FORECAST

Removal of Dr. James V. May, veteran superintendent of the Boston State Hospital, also was forecast today.

Dr. May, a former commissioner of mental diseases, was "advised" by Governor Curley to resign last summer during a surprise visit to the Boston State Hospital by the chief executive.

The Governor scored conditions at the institution at the time.

James J. Brennan of Somerville and William G. Hennessey of Lynn, two of the Democratic councilors whose terms expire with the present administration, are slated on appointment today as members of the state tax appeal board at a salary of $6000 a year.

PLUM FOR KILEY

It was reported that John D. Wright, present member of the tax appeal board, Republican, would be dropped, his term having expired on December 1.

Wright, however, is scheduled to take the place of George K. Pond, the present secretary of the board, at a salary of about $5000 a year.

Adjutant-General William I. Rose is scheduled to be appointed purchasing agent in the state department of mental diseases, where a vacancy exists due to a retirement. Budget difficulties over this appointment are expected to be ad-justed.

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When Home-Made Plane Nose-Dived to Ice

The builder of this home-made plane, Walter Campbell, was critically injured and his passenger, Richard Haynes, 20, was killed when the craft crashed nose-first into ice of the Penobscot river, at Winn, Maine. Campbell, garage proprietor and builder of the plane, is still in serious condition. The photograph was made just a few minutes after the ice crash. The river was covered with eight inches of ice.

A close-up of the wreckage of the plane, just after the body of young Haynes was taken from the cockpit, where it was crushed against the motor. His body is covered in the foreground.

(Pictures from International News Photograph Service.)

10 HOUNDS DROWN

Fox Escapes Over Thin Ice

Geneseo, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—A fox was too sly for the hounds of the Genesee Valley Hunt and escaped as 10 in the pack plunged to their death in the Genesee River yesterday when they attempted to follow their quarry across thin ice. Sixteen other dogs in the pack scampered to safety and three were rescued by members of the hunt, who procured ropes and hauled them.

Among the victims were two dogs described as the best in the pack, Wonder and Bonnier.

The hunt followed a course about five miles along the river bank. The fox led the pack across the ice and then changed his course and recrossed the river. The hounds, far ahead of the field, were unable to get secure footing on the ice, which broke under their weight.

Included in the hunt were Harry Andrews, Geneseo, huntsman; Louis M. Bailey, Geneseo; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mulligan, Avon; Charles Case, Rochester; Mrs. William Donovan, Buffalo; Mrs. Charles Crane, Buffalo, and Miss Constance Coit, Geneseo.

William P. Wadsworth, master, was in Boston.

'PUBLIC RAT NO. 1'

G-Men Seek Brunette's Pal

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—J. Edgar Hoover, head of the "G-men," today designated as "public rat number one" Maxie Vandrosek, 29, asserted bank robbing and kidnaping pal of Harry Brunette, who was captured here yesterday after a bomb and gun battle with department of justice agents, police and New Jersey state troopers.

Brunette, under charges ranging from kidnaping to bank robbery, was captured during the night to Tuesday, Dec. 7.

"Vandenbosch" said Hoover, "is the only kidnaper since enactment of the Lindbergh law who remains free. We have captured or killed all others."

The head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation said that Brunette was entrusted with the kidnaping of New Jersey state Trooper William A. Trumbull on November 11 and the armed robbery of three Wisconsin banks in the last five months, impointing Vandenbosch in all crimes and his own wife, who was captured with him, in the kidnaping.

Brunette, withstood an early morning barrage of machine gun, pistol and rifle fire that riddled the walls of his apartment a prostrated tear gas attack and fire that swept from his window curtains to the ceiling, until city firemen, during the ceasefire, put it out.

Four Fellowships For Tech Students

Four new fellowships, totaling $1000 are being made available to M. I. T. graduates in honor of the late Dr. Arthur D. Little, famous chemical engineer. Two of the fellowships are open to graduates of Boston Tech, one to a graduate of Harvard and one to a graduate of Wellesley. The awards are open to men and women who have been out of college not more than two years.

Fire Levels Vault Plant

Galion, O., Dec. 16 (AP)—Fire today leveled the Perfection Burial Vault Company here with a loss estimated by President Harry Gates at $500,000. The fire left 350 men and women idle. But Gates said work of rebuilding the plant would start immediately.

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WHITE HOUSE RITES HELD FOR GUARD

By GEORGE DURNO

Washington, Dec. 16 (INS)—Impressive in heartfelt simplicity, final funeral services were held in the East Room of the White House today for August (Gus) Gennerich, 50-year-old bodyguard and intimate of President Roosevelt. He died suddenly from a heart attack in Buenos Aires Dec. 1.

The nation's highest officials and a host of Gennerich's friends packed the East Room to pay final tribute to the popular secret service man.

DELIVERS EULOGY

The Rev. Dr. Gearhardt Lenzel of the Grace Lutheran Church, conducted the services, quoting the Bible and delivering a brief eulogy of the good friend, this forty-nine-year-old bachelor servant who is suddenly, unexpectedly gone.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt, Vice-President and Mrs. Garner, Cabinet and other members of the House and Senate, high ranking army and navy officers, Gennerich's fellow secret service men, the White House staff and many others attended the rites.

Augusta Gennerich, Gennerich's nephew, and Charles Guthrie, his brother-in-law, were present as his sole surviving relatives.

The flag-draped coffin rested before a large wall of flowers. White House policemen stood at its head and feet as a guard of honor. A string quintet played soft music.

James Roosevelt, the President's eldest son, will accompany the body to New York for burial, as will other members of the White House secret service detail. Captain A. W. Wallender of the New York police force, of which Gennerich formerly was a member, and Robert J. Miller, Washington attorney, representing Almas Temple of the shrine.

Gennerich will be given a Masonic burial.

Nazi Death Penalty In Wheat Crisis

Berlin, Dec. 16 (INS)—Desperately seeking foreign money to buy three million tons of grain on a clearing system basis, the German government today set January 21 as the deadline for the surrender of all foreign exchange.

A government decree warned: **"Full punishment, even the death sentence, may befall those not reporting foreign money, whether abroad or at home."**

Because of poor harvests, Germany must buy a million tons each of wheat, corn, and rye from abroad.

Job Gone, Nashua Man Found Dead

Nashua, N. H., Dec. 16 (AP)—The disturbed body of Daniel F. Dwyer, 62, a Works Progress Administration worker, was found yesterday, was found by police today on the city dump.

Friends had only believed he was dazed to the dump fire to get warm and his clothing caught fire. They began a search for him after his wife reported his disappearance.

Sues for $50,000 In Hit-Run Death Of Auburn Scout

Worcester, Dec. 16—After nineteen months of sleuthing, independent of police, Attorney Frank P. Ryan of Auburn today filed two suits for $25,000 each in the hit-and-run death of 15-year-old Donald M. Starbird, Auburn Boy Scout.

In the first action he named Leslie A. Bostwick of Auburn, in the second Bostwick and Levi Croteau, also of Auburn, were named jointly.

In neither suit does Ryan identify the driver of the alleged hit-and-run automobile, nor does he mention any of the details of the cases he has prepared.

Police, even today, have the death marked on their records as unsolved and they were unaware of what information Ryan had garnered as a basis for his actions.

The attorney was engaged by Stephen G. Starbird, father of the dead boy. In his suits he explains for the court that he was unable to file within the statutory period because his sons were not complete up to September 24 of this year.

Young Starbird was killed on the northbound part of the turnpike on May 3, 1935. Hilarion Anderson, 36-year-old companion, was seriously injured. A headlight from the hit-run car was found nearby.

Soviet Speeds War Army to Mongolia

Berlin, Dec. 16 (INS)—Russia is preparing for war in Outer Mongolia, the Moscow correspondent of the Berlin newspaper Der Angriff reported today.

Under banner headlines, the correspondent reported the Trans-Siberian railway was crowded with troops destined with Soviet troops and war material enroute to Outer Mongolia.

Regular trains are sidetracked for the war traffic, Der Angriff stated. The movements indicate the Soviets are convinced a conflict is likely in Outer Mongolia, and not the Amur river valley to the east, the correspondent commented.

Peggy Joyce Wins Race at Windsor

London, Dec. 16 (INS)—The new steing of horses Peggy Joyce is acquiring with the issue of her divorce of husbands scored its first victory for her today.

Getting her first win on the English turf, Miss Joyce saw her entry, Hot Tondel, come home victorious in the opening race at Windsor today, a 10 to 1 shot.

The horse was given her by Vivian Jackson, to whom she recently announced her engagement.

4 Autoists Hurt Near Worcester

Worcester, Dec. 16—One man was critically injured, a man companion and two girls less seriously hurt, when an automobile rolled over twice on the turnpike today.

All four had been to the annual police ball and had gone for a ride after its close.

At Memorial Hospital it was determined that the driver, Nicodemus F. Guilano, 21, of Endicott street, has a fractured skull and internal injuries and may die.

Also held for treatment are Yvonne Bouvert, 19, of George street; Arlene Johnson, 22, of Newport street, and Joseph S. Salzkowski, 22, of Arlington street, all Worcester.

Carom Shot

Los Angeles, Dec. 16 (AP)—Clarence E. Burrier, 59, a watchman, was treated at the police emergency hospital for a slight flesh wound.

He explained a prowler had entered his room and shot him between the eyes. Not even stunned, Burrier gave chase but was outdistanced.

Returning to his room, he found the bullet in a drawer where it had fallen after ricocheting off his skull.

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Grandmother's Prepared Mince Meat 1 lb. 19c
Stuffed Olives 4½ oz. bottle 21c
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75 Artists Join Show To Aid Basket Fund

PENTHOUSE TO BE SCENE OF PROGRAM

Manager Maren To 'Shoot Works' Sunday Night

By THE CHRISTMAS BASKET FUND EDITOR

There will be a glittering human Christmas tree in fast-moving display next Sunday night, when Tommy Maren presents Penthouse show, atop the Hotel Bradford, for the benefit of the Boston Evening American-Sunday Advertiser Christmas Basket Fund.

The genial Mr. Maren is going to "shoot the works" for the Basket Fund benefit, adding as many outside entertainment stars as possible to his own brilliant revue—all because he's one of the Fund's most loyal and successful boosters.

Entertaining power of the Penthouse revue is attested by the fact it has been held over time after time, and despite the seasonal letdown in night club patronage the Penthouse turns 'em away nightly.

Seventy-five gorgeous, talented, skillful entertainers already are scheduled to appear on the Basket Fund benefit program. Among them are:

Maco, whose talents as a magician amazed Cardini himself, who made him his protege.

Yvonne Nova, fan dancer.

Carlyle and Carlyle, presenting the dance of the Golden Venus.

Elaine Malloy, sensational and beautiful trapeze performer.

Conrad and Emerson, who were just headlined on the RKO and Loew's circuits.

And there will be a chorus of 75 girls, the orchestra of Chet Nelson and the favorite soloist, Billy Payne.

FLOOR SHOW FEATURES

Features of the floor show are such presentations as the Golden Venus, the Living Jewels, the Tableaux of Love.

Greeting Christmas Basket Fund party-goers at the door with a friendly handshake will be Lew Parsons, manager of the Hotel Bradford.

You can do good by doing yourself good. There's no doubt about the destitution of thousands of our fellow citizens. The letters tell their own story, each day the returns mounts, until now the Basket Fund receives from 1200 to 1500 letters every day.

Every letter tells the same pitiful story of waning hope, of undernourished children, of crippled or ailing bread-winners, of increasing cold and deprivation and nevertilled stomachs.

They ask so little. Warm food. Clothing for their children. A little fuel to keep their homes warm on Christmas Day at least.

They ask so little, but with as many appeals there will be little enough to give them unless Basket Fund volunteers offer aid immediately. There are NINE DAYS TO CHRISTMAS!

ANOTHER BENEFIT

There is one more benefit scheduled besides the Penthouse party. The Olympic Skating Club will hold its Gala Skating Frolic with a program of races and fancy skating at the Boston Arena on Saturday night.

Received today was the $25 contribution from the Boston Schoolmen's Economic Association. That amount was forwarded to the Christmas Basket Fund by Daniel F. O'Connell, treasurer of the organization.

Also presenting a $25 contribution to the Fund, the proceeds from a beano game service, were Commander Harry B. Hewson, Past

(Photo from International News Photograph Service)

Whole town's talking about the gala party to be held at the "Penthouse," atop the Hotel Bradford, next Sunday night, in aid of the Boston Evening American and Boston Sunday Advertiser Christmas Basket Fund. On hand to provide entertainment thrills will be this charming and talented dancer, Yvonne Nova.

Commander George Frye, and Dr. Edward Rosenberg, senior vice-commander, of the Cambridge Post No. 35, Jewish War Veterans of the United States.

Still in constant use by the Basket Fund staff is the 1937 Studebaker sedan, whose service was donated to the fund by George W. Sweet, president of the Studebaker Sales Corporation of Boston. Mr. Sweet said:

"The Basket Fund calls for the support of every one."

Following are a few of the actual appeals received by the Boston Evening American of needy persons seeking a Christmas basket:

CASE NO. 55

We are a family of six who are in hard circumstances and a Christmas basket would be very much appreciated.

There are four children, two boys and two girls, and I am expecting another child most any time now. Through serious illness which still bothers him my husband lost his business and is not able to do any real labor now, so for the past few months we have been receiving welfare aid.

We cannot make ends meet, much less buy any extras so dear to the hearts of children at this time of year and we are pretty well discouraged.

The children have always had presents at Christmas and it is hard to have them be so disappointed, but what can a person do in our circumstances. We are lucky to rent and have clothing, although shoes and underwear are badly needed for some of us.

You are doing a great work and if ever I am able to give again I shall be most happy to help your cause.

We are not finding fault and it is only for the sake of the children that I have written this letter.

This needy family lives in Roslindale. Anyone who wishes to help them may do so by calling the Basket Fund Editor, Liberty 4000, and ask for case No. 55.

Needy Only May Apply

In order that Christmas Baskets may go only to deserving and needy families, each application must be approved by a priest, a minister, a rabbi or charitable organization. If you wish to apply for a basket, therefore, get the signature of one of these persons.

A special effort to reach needy families not receiving city aid is requested.

Address all names and lists as well as contributions to the Christmas Basket Fund, Boston Evening American, 2 Winthrop square, Boston.

CASE NO. 56

I am asking you if you will please send me a Christmas basket. My husband is not able to work. Last August he was working on a roof and he got knocked off. He has been in the hospital until four weeks ago. His sister took him to her home until I can find some work to do. I have tried and tried again and again but I can't get anything steady. I do not get relief. I have been making a few cents now and then doing up curtains and I owe four months rent.

If I could only get a basket so that I could have my husband home for one day it would make me so happy. If it weren't for the neighbors I don't know what I would do. They give me food sometimes. Hoping to hear from you soon. Some days I don't eat at all.

This needy woman lives in Dorchester. Anyone who wishes to help her may do so by calling the Basket Fund Editor, Liberty 4000, and ask for case No. 56.

CASE NO. 57

Is there some way you could make Christmas brighter for us? We have four children who are without proper clothes and they are asking for things for Christmas, and as I always could give them a fairly good holiday, I have not been able to get a day's work in order to give them enough to eat this year. We had one half pound of hamburg for Thanksgiving and now with Christmas coming I feel pretty bad.

You are our last hope. I have never had to ask before and I have even seen the day I could give to charities at this time, but now it is impossible to get a thing to do. My wife just came from the hospital. She was seriously ill. I have to stay home a lot to take care of the children because she can't do any work. There are four girls, one year, two, seven and ten, and a boy, two.

I am being evicted from my home anytime now and I don't know where I'm going. My wife cries thinking of the Christmas we will have and how disappointed the children are going to be. I hope there is some way we can have a bit of cheer for the little ones on Christmas.

This needy family lives in Peabody. Anyone who wishes to help them may do so by calling the Basket Fund Editor, Liberty 4000, and ask for case number 57.

Fund Contributions

Here is the list of contributions to date to the Boston Evening American-Sunday Advertiser Christmas Basket Fund:

Previously Acknowledged	$3,879.27
Governor James M. Curley	100.00
William Cardinal O'Connell, Archbishop of Boston	50.00
John J. Walsh	1.00
K. Simonson	1.00
John Murphy of Winchester	1.00
Daisy Parker of Waltham	2.00
Our Share Readville Races — September 8	1,184.56
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In Remembrance of Dad, Dorchester	1.00
M. R., Roxbury	.50
R. F. A.	2.00
Our Share of Casey-Dusek Wrestling Show at Boston Garden on October 30	451.75
Dorchester Dames	5.00
Proceeds and Donations from Party at Club Mayfair, Dec. 5	1,000.00
Just Bob	1.00
Hon. Frederick W. Mansfield, Mayor of Boston	25.00
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G. M. K., '37	1.00
M. S., Boston	1.00
J. F. C., Lynn	5.00
M. G., Revere	1.00
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Our Share of Irish American A. A. bouts at Arena, October 19	476.70
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In memory of my father and father-in-law A. B. M.	1.00
Proceeds from Falsey-Walsey Dance at Normandie Ballroom, Dec. 11	88.00
John W. Newman, President Democratic City Committee	5.00
James J. Hughes	1.00
Mrs. Louis Benda, Malden	5.00
In memory of our dear Mother	1.00
Stanton St., Dorchester	1.00
Stephen C. Garrity, State Fire Marshal	5.00
Schoolmen's Economic Association, Boston	25.00
Our Share of Irish-American A. A. bouts at Arena, October 26	510.43

ATHERTON DIES IN MARBLEHEAD

Following a long illness, Horace H. Atherton, former widely known newspaperman, died today at the age of 64 at his home, 108 Tedesco road, Marblehead.

He was court reporter for the old Boston Advertiser and Boston Record until he went to Washington, D. C., as secretary for former Congressman William E. Barrett. While in Washington in that capacity he served as correspondent for the Boston Advertiser and Record.

Two sons survive. They are Roger M. of Quincy and Horace H., 2d, of Marblehead.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in East Saugus Methodist Episcopal church. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery, Saugus.

TIP BRINGS ARSENAL RAID

A woman's story to police led to the cast of a Roxbury garage which had served as an arsenal for a hijack-robbery gang, and the same story may lead to other arrests, it was disclosed today.

At the same time, it was learned that police believe they have uncovered the rendezvous of gangsters responsible for the series of holdups in race track and gambling rooms which played such an important part in the police department upheaval.

CAREFULLY SHIELDED

The woman who pointed the finger at the Highland street cache in which sawed-off shotgun, revolvers, burglary tools and stolen registration plates were seized, talked to authorities yesterday.

Her identity is being carefully shielded, but it was said that she had given other information concerning the activities of the gang which used the place and that her story indicated the responsibility for the hijackings.

It was also reported that she had named two other men in the gang and that their arrests might be forthcoming shortly.

Because of this development, police from Brockton were on their way here today to confer with Boston authorities and try to connect a similar gambling room hi-jacking in their city with the Boston series.

MALDEN INTERESTED

In this robbery, more than $5000 was taken and sawed-off shotguns were used, handled in such fashion that the victims thought they were machine guns.

Malden police, who are investigating a similar racetrack room holdup—for $2000—are also said to be interested.

Seized by police, headed by Captain Thomas F. Casey, in the raid on the garage, were two sawed-off shotguns, a rifle and a .45 calibre revolver, dynamite, hundreds of shells to fit the guns, 17 automobile registration plates, some of them known to be stolen and others which had been "doctored," burglar tools, doctor's instruments stolen from parked cars and other stolen goods.

PLATES STOLEN

The registration plates, police said, were stolen from autos in Brookline, Brighton and the Back Bay in the past few months. Some of them were immediately traced while others have not yet been reported as stolen or missed.

The stolen property found in the garage included surgical instruments valued at $1000, which were stolen from a machine parked at Lyin-In Hospital, and merchandise worth $1000, which has been reported stolen in Jamaica Plain and Brighton, police officials said.

REBEL PLANES BOMB MADRID

Madrid, Dec. 16 (AP)—Twenty insurgent bombing planes loosed large quantities of explosives over thickly populated sections of suburban Madrid and its outskirts today.

Three persons were reported killed and 10 wounded in the bombardment of Majadahonda.

Most of the inhabitants had time to run for shelter or into the surrounding fields. The villages on the highway between Madrid and El Escorial, suffered heavy damage from the raid.

Heavy casualties were reported in the capital's Cuatro Caminos district where many houses were declared destroyed. A number of fires followed the bombardment.

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The Real Mrs. Simpson---By Adda Rogers St. Johns

JEALOUSY KILLS HER FIRST LOVE

WALLY UNABLE TO PATCH RIFT

(Herewith Adela Rogers St. Johns, famous author, continues her fascinating life story of Mrs. Wallis Warfield Simpson. In preparing this story Miss St. Johns has had the active co-operation and collaboration of members of Mrs. Simpson's family and she has been given access to authentic information available to no one else.)

By ADELA ROGERS ST. JOHNS
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CHAPTER VII

On Nov. 8, 1916, Lieut. Earl Winfield Spencer, U. S. Naval Aviation Corps, and Bessie Wallis Warfield were united in marriage by Episcopal ceremony.

On Dec. 10, 1927, Wallis Spencer divorced the then Lieutenant-Commander Spencer in Warrenton, Va., on the grounds of desertion.

Between those two dates lies much that is difficult to fathom, much that is hard to understand, and much that explains the real Mrs. Simpson.

Reports from London today are insistent that the king's proctor may grant Mrs. Simpson her final decree within a few weeks and that her amazing marriage to Edward, Duke of Windsor, will take place immediately thereafter. Where that wedding, the culmination of the greatest romance of our day, will take place and who will be present no one knows. The world will wait breathless for that climax.

But Wallis Warfield's first marriage was all "according to Hoyle" and Baltimore tradition. A thing of lighted tapers and anastomasian lilies, of soft orchid tulle for the lovely bridesmaids and full dress naval uniforms, of young love approaching the altar for deathless vows.

The courtship under the Pensacola moon, under the soft Florida sun, had been according to Hoyle, too. Chaperoned by her cousin, Miss Warfield walked gently in the well-trodden paths, danced sedately in the dignified ballrooms.

Romance glided into her life smoothly and in story book fashion, just as perhaps every mother hopes it may come to her daughter, as Alice Montague prayed it would come to hers.

Mother's Influence

"Win" Spencer was very good-looking and Wallis had the usual young-girl passion for uniforms. I almost married a young lieutenant of marines, but he came to call for me once in civilian clothes and so I never saw him again. "Win" Spencer also wore wings and in 1916 wings were new and very thrilling to a girl like Bessie Wallis Warfield. He flew airplanes, and we weren't so used to airplanes in those days and the dashing and handsome young men who flew them were gods to most young girls.

The kind of "crush" 18-year-old Bessie had for Win may mature into real love. That kind of romance may bear the real flowers of passion and eternal fidelity. Or it may wither in the sun of life as the light-blooming flowers of a day usually. It may be youth speaking, to youth, falling in love with love, adding the ache for romance to the ache for romance.

I think in some measure Wallis Warfield was following a fixed, family pattern, also. The old southern customs were not so far removed from her thought. She had been from influenced by her mother than by any other person, and Alice Montague was one of the southern beauties who assumed that a girl was brought up to charm men, made her debut, had a year or so of gaiety and then married. What else was there for her to do? You married a handsome young man and you wore the family lace veil which your mother and grandmother had worn before you, and that was all there was to it.

Found Happiness

And I think, too, that Wallis was deliberately seeking security.

They dressed her, the two women who loved her so, her mother and Aunt Bessie, in the little apartment at Earl Court. Arranged the orange blossoms in her smooth, shining brown hair, smoothed out the lace veil with tender fingers and in their hearts said a prayed of deep yearning for her happiness.

But it was to be a long time before Wallis found happiness, and that great happiness of real love, was to lead her to dark and stormy happiness and into very strange waters.

There was a honeymoon and a trip to Washington. Then war and Lieutenant Spencer was sent to the naval air station at San Diego to teach young men to fly. He never saw active service and Spencer also wore wings and in 1916 wings were new and very thrilling to a girl like Bessie

Life Story of England's New King---By Hudson Hawley

GEORGE TRAINED TO BE 'BRITISH'

NOT 'REAL FRIEND OF FRANCE'

This is the third chapter of an authoritative life story of Great Britain's new ruler. This instalment tells how, by virtue of being a second son and having a defect in speech, he was spared being a cosmopolite like his elder brother, and became so thoroughly Anglo-Saxon. It also forecasts why his accession is not too rosily viewed by the French.

CHAPTER THREE

By HUDSON HAWLEY

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His Majesty, George VI of England, despite all the titles that the heralds and kings at arms bestowed upon him in proclaiming his accession, has so many things in common in his family life and personal experiences with the average 40-year-old American of the so-called middle classes that it is a pity that more is not known about it.

In the main, he has been singularly lucky in having had to play second fiddle for so long. It has given him a chance to develop an Anglo-Saxon character of his very own, instead of the hybrid, international character forced on his now departed elder brother because everybody thought, of course, that "Davey" was going to be the head of the firm, and that "Bertie" would only be a sort of vice-president.

Yet, to quote the long suffering Mr. Shakespeare, whose "sweet saws" have all often been dragged out of the dust of Stratford Church during the past crisis, "the whirligig of time brings about its revenges."

Not being in direct line for accession to the throne, the new monarch didn't have every foreign princess thrown at his head, as did Edward.

Chooses Bride

Nobody thought of marrying him off to any one of the more or less eligible young ladies of royal birth whose families came through the late war unscathed, and nobody very much cared.

The result was that when in his late twenties he began to think about taking a wife, he was free to marry according to his heart and he picked a "quite British, Presbyterian Scot." In his person of Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, daughter of a landed Earl in no sure but still considered a commoner until her marriage.

She has borne him two of the bonniest royal children extant on this earth today. There's no trace of hemophilia, or of what is euphemistically called "the curse of the Hapsburgs," in that offspring.

Queen Elizabeth, as she now is, has made the King such a comfortable home that he has come to go out skylarking in Piccadilly, Soho, Mayfair, or what have you of nights, and has restored his good health and strength and nerve—and about all his thoroughly middle class British outlook to life.

Spoiled Edward

Were it not for the invention of the talkies and the newsreels, His Majesty would probably be refused admittance to all of London's after closing hours "bottle clubs" if he presented himself at the door, on the ground that he wasn't a native born.

For his good fortune in having been "brought up British" he has a congenital relief to thank. Due to his early stuttering, and his shyness on occasion of his appearance more or less revered grandfather, Edward VII, had no patience with him.

Instead, he fairly spoiled his elder brother, but inadvertently Edward gave him extra pocket money unbeknownst to his parents the highly respectable George and Mary, and put him up to all sorts of childish pranks.

Before the elder Edward died in 1910 he had made financial provision that the now dethroned king should go to Paris to live for a considerable time in the household of the Marquis Hugh de Brevoort, a nephew of the late royal echoes.

It would have been as easy as not, and not much more expensive, for the pleasure-loving old sovereign to have included "Bertie" in the invitation, but he never thought of it.

"Tafey," said Edward the Seventh, with that Teutonic accent which never quite left him, "must learn to be a good miner." Perhaps he learned only too well . . .

So young Edward, at the age of 18, repaired to the old Marquis's palatial home in the Rue Rude, just off the Avenue Du Bois De Boulogne.

Lots of Fun

By his grandfather's express wish he was to speak only French while there, become absolutely perfect in the use of it, and in order to achieve that perfection should not only take his daily lessons with a tutor named M. Escoffier but should also attend the performances of the great French theaters and frequent the dressing rooms of the leading feminine stars.

You and take them out to supper at the Regence and the Brabant and Cafe De La Paix after the Villa Lon Viel into a beauty parlor today.

Antoine, one of the most fashionable coiffeurs on the Riviera, was summoned to the villa by telegraph. He gave Mrs. Simpson a massage, hair trim and shampoo while a manicurist took care of her nails.

He was—and is—British, first, last and all the time.

To be sure His Majesty has often been to France, but almost always with his good wee Scotch wife along. Montmartre, Montparnasse, the Rue Rivoli and the Rue Pigalle know him not. Why, he's such a slick tourist that he has actually been through the Louvre and visited Napoleon's tomb!

When Bertie and Elizabeth have gone to Paris in the past they have almost always been invited to lunch at the Elysee Palace, the French white house, with the highly bourgeois and democratic president of the republic and his good lady, and have just as punctually invited them to his somewhat stodgy British embassy for roast beef and suet pudding the same day.

For the past few years, at the invitation of that sterling Scotsman, Sir George Clerk, H. M.'s ambassador in Paris, they have crossed the channel for the annual dinner of the Paris St. Andrew's Society on the post Bobbie Burns's birthday—and his present Majesty has always turned out in the kilt and sporran, and one impression has been known to step through the intricate sword dance of the highlands.

But that annual affair, being "drag Scots," is never reported. And the royal couple have always left the next morning.

The moral of all this is that if the French are counting on His Majesty George VI to be "un vrai ami de la France" (a real friend of France) like his grandfather, perhaps his father and perhaps his now eclipsed elder brother, they have another think coming.

George VI simply wasn't trained for that great—and often costly—rule of friend. He has preserved complete independence with regard to the hates of the querulous and war-germ riddles Old Continent.

And that, in the last analysis, is the reason for his ever mounting popularity at home.

(Continued Tomorrow)

Sportsman King Home Lover

Grace and power in every move are shown by King George VI as he hits a full brassie shot to a distant green. The King is a low handicap golfer, several strokes better than his brother Edward, whom he succeeded on the British throne.

Bridal couple, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, are shown as they appeared at their wedding more than a decade ago. He was then Duke of York, with apparently little prospect of becoming England's ruler.

'Come Out, Eddie,' Plea of Britons

Enzesfeld, Austria, Dec. 16—The Duke of Windsor was besought today to come out of his retreat in the Rothschild Castle Enzesfeld and have his picture taken.

The petitioners were British cameramen who feared they would become rheumatic in the chill weather while waiting to fulfill their assignments—photographs of the former king.

"Eddie," they addressed the duke in an informal note, "we want to be with our wives by Christmas but we cannot leave until you come out of your hole."

Wally Gets Haircut, Massage

Cannes, France, Dec. 16 (INS)—In apparent preparation for the first evening party she has attended since reaching Cannes, Mrs. Wallis Simpson converted her room in the Villa Lou Viel into a beauty parlor today.

Antoine, one of the most fashionable coiffeurs on the Riviera, was summoned to the villa by telegraph. He gave Mrs. Simpson a massage, hair trim and shampoo while a manicurist took care of her nails.

Boston Feted Ex-King's Ear Doctor

Dr. Henrich Neumann of Vienna, who will probably operate on Edward of England's ear, was once the guest of honor at a banquet given here by several Boston doctors with whom he had studied at the famed Vienna Hospital, it was learned today.

That was in 1911 when only the medical world knew and honored him for his advancement of the science of otology—before he had operated on such royal ears as those of another abdicated monarch, former King Alfonso of Spain.

One of the Boston doctors with whom Dr. Neumann studied was Dr. Timothy J. Riordan, whose offices are at 76 Commonwealth avenue. They were students under Dr. Adams Pulitzer, uncle of the Joseph Pulitzer who founded the New York World, whom Dr. Neumann succeeded as professor of otology at the Vienna Hospital.

Dr. Neumann's attainments as the foremost otologist of his time do not weigh heavily on him. Dr. Riordan told a Boston Evening American reporter.

"He's like most other great men. You'd never know he was great if you met him as a stranger."

Magic Wand Fishes $1000 Out of Bank

Washington, Pa., Dec. 16 (AP)—Officials of the Citizen's National Bank said today $1000 disappeared from a teller's cage after a man visited the bank carrying what they described as a wand with a bulb on one end. Albert J. Allison, president of the bank said:

"We're not sure exactly what happened. Some of the customers say the stranger poked the wand through the grill work and removed the packages of bills."

The teller was in the vault at the time.

Mine Host!

(Picture from International News Photograph Service)

Recent photo of Baron Eugene De Rothschild, Duke of Windsor's host, owner of Enzesfeld Castle, Austria, where the former King Edward has found a haven.

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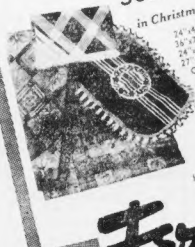

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DAVIDSON ASKS $300,000 AS STATLER HEIR

H. Bradley Davidson, Jr., whose wife Elva Statler Davidson, wealthy hotel heiress, died under mysterious circumstances a year ago February, today petitioned Middlesex Probate Court to outright distribution of two $300,000 trust agreements.

Trustees had objected because of a "spendthrift clause" in the agreements, which gave Davidson the income from half the first trust and provided for a $12,000 annuity in the second.

Counsel for Davidson told the court that he (Davidson) had already assigned his claims to a group of New York trust companies.

Agreements were drawn up a month following the heiress' marriage by Professor W. Barton Leach, of the Harvard Law School, and only two weeks before her mysterious death at Pinehurst, N. C., February 27, 1935.

Judge Frederick J. Dillon requested counsel in his briefs.

Relatives of the late E. M. Statler, hotel magnate, last April dropped their fight to break the will executed by Mrs. Davidson which bequeaths approximately $370,000 of her $500,000 estate to her Washington socialite husband.

U. S. Judge Blocks Dawes Interest

Chicago, Dec. 16 (AP)—Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson, ruling against the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, blocked today the Federal agency's attempt to collect another $1,250,000 interest charges on the famous $50,000,000 "Dawes Loan."

The RFC recently won a ruling that Illinois stockholders of the defunct Central Republic Bank and Trust Company must supply $12,500,000 toward repaying the deficiency on the loan.

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Social Security

Here are Sources Of Information

Keep Article For Future

Today the Boston Evening American tells you where to go for information about the Social Security Act. Any individual problem you have, you should write to the Social Security Editor of the American at 3 Winthrop square.

To secure copies of the Social Security Act, do not go to the social security board's local field office. It would be impossible for the board to attempt to fill all requests for copies of the law.

The procedure is the same as that of securing copies of any other law passed by Congress. You write to the Superintendent of Public Documents, Washington, D. C., ask him for what you want, and enclose five cents.

For the regulations governing payments of the social security tax (Regulations 90 and 91 of the Treasury Department) write to the same office, but enclose ten cents instead of five for each copy wanted.

MANY SOURCES

Now, as to questions. If you want a question about the application of the act answered officially, you must refer it either to the collector of internal revenue or to the regional office of the social security board, depending on the nature of the question.

If what you want to know concerns the payment of the tax, or the liability for payment, or any other subject dealing with the tax, ask the collector.

All tax matters are handled by the Treasury Department, and the social security board has neither the right nor the inclination to answer such questions.

On the other hand, if you want to know anything about the benefits provided by the act, or your eligibility to receive them, ask the regional office of the social security board.

The New England regional office is at 120 Boylston street, and the local field office is in the same building.

Another article of the Social Security series will appear in the Boston Evening American tomorrow.

More Queries Answered

Following are some of the questions asked by Boston Evening American readers about the Social Security Act. If you want to know anything about the act, write your question to the Social Security Editor of the Boston Evening American, 3 Winthrop Square.

Q—My wife and I operate a beauty shop, employing only ourselves. I am 48 years old, and she is 39. Is there any way we could come in for old age pensions.

A—You could incorporate, and employ yourselves as officers of the corporation. This would entail some expense, and would also mean that you would have to pay taxes both as employers and employes, thus paying double for the benefits you would receive. I advise you to consult a lawyer before taking such a step, and find out if the expense involved would be worth while.

Q—When a person dies, is that the end of his pension? How does the government figure out how much to give each person monthly, when they cannot tell how long they will live?

A—The pension stops when the recipient dies. However, if the benefits paid have amounted to less than 3½ per cent of the person's taxable wages after January 1, 1937, the government makes up the difference. The government takes what is known as an "actuarial average" in figuring the amount of benefit payments. This is the same procedure as that gone through by an insurance company in figuring its rates. The government figures, first, how many persons are apt, according to mathematics, to reach the age of 65, then how long each person who does reach that age is likely to live afterward. Statistics show that men live on the average 12 years after reaching the age of 65, women 13. These figures may change as medical science progresses and the human life span lengthens, and this is one of the reasons why Congress has retained the right to revise the social security law at will.

15 WOMEN LOSE WPA BERTHS

Fifteen women on Works Progress Administration payrolls were discharged today after inspectors reported their husbands working and the women were in no need of further employment.

One woman, the probers reported, is married to a letter carrier.

Also laid off in the last few days were 100 workers who were found to be operating automobiles. Investigators checked license numbers on cars parked near WPA projects and checked them against the records of the Registry of Motor Vehicles.

'37 INSURANCE QUIZ NEAR END

Hearing on the 1937 schedule of compulsory automobile insurance rates was expected to end late today following a session of several weeks before William H. Hitchcock, master, in Suffolk court.

His report, to be submitted to the supreme court, may not be forthcoming for a week or 10 days. Hearing resulted from the protests of 45 stock insurance companies against the reduction of premiums as promulgated by State Insurance Commissioner Francis J. DeCelles.

Auto Seller Sues To Silence Critic

Springfield, Dec. 16—What Edward Menard, an automobile dealer, would like to do is to stop Eddie J. Houle, a dissatisfied customer, from broadcasting his state of mind, he set forth in a suit here today.

Menard said that Houle had painted on the machine "signs of a highly derogatory nature concerning the car" and that the driver continually parks it in public places, holding the plaintiff Menard—up to ridicule.

Menard said he sold the car as in "good condition" and it was in good condition, regardless of Houle's signs.

Grant Clan Leader Dies

Pottsdam, N. Y., Dec. 16 (INS)—Dr. Hugh A. Grant, 66, Scotch physician and acknowledged leader of the Grant clan in North America, died here today after a lengthy illness.

Suspect Indicted As Love Slayer

William H. Ritchie, 42, of West Newton street, South End, was indicted today by a Suffolk county grand jury on the charge of second degree murder of his sweetheart, Miss Jeanette Grealish, 28, on July 12.

Ritchie, showing no emotion, entered a plea of not guilty before Judge John M. Gibbs, in Suffolk superior criminal court and returned to the Charles street jail without bail to await trial.

At the time of his arrest, Ritchie is said to have told police that he "choked her to death because he loved her."

The killing took place in a room occupied by the girl in the same West Newton street lodging house where Ritchie resided.

Queen Mary's Last Trip for 2 Months

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—The liner Queen Mary, with 1,965 passengers and tons of Christmas mail, sailed for England today on her last voyage until next February. In the interim she will undergo minor repairs.

The Duke of Sutherland, Dolores Costello Barrymore, former wife of John Barrymore, and Hugh Walpole, British novelist, were passengers.

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Salesman Killed In 100-Foot Fall

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 16 (AP)—Ernest W. Drew, 47, a salesman of Providence, died today in a 100-foot fall from the fourth floor window of a hotel. Coroner Ernest A. Hein said death was accidental.

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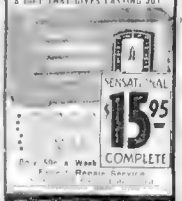

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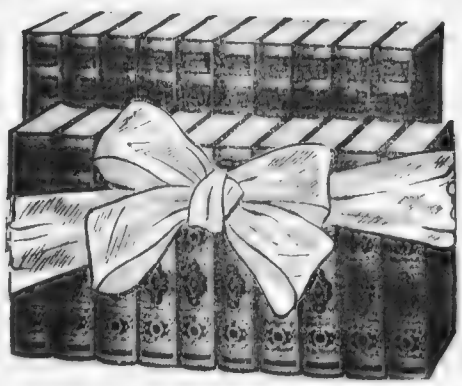

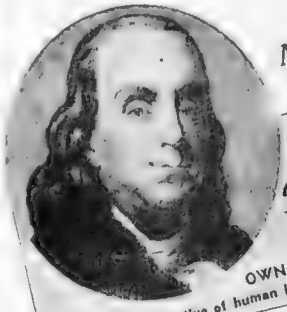

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Betty Alden on 'Beacon Hill'

Drurys Put on 'One-Family' Art Show That Delights All

By BETTY ALDEN

THE ANCESTORS of the Drury family of Newport must have lived in Drury Lane . . . the theatrical and artistic center of old London society

ANNE WHITFIELD

NEWLYWEDS Will Live in Sweden

MR. AND MRS. NELSON DOUMAN [illegible] frock of lavender grey organza made with a flaring skirt and tight little jacket with long sleeves. Their honeymoon in Nassau has been postponed until after Christmas and after they will make their home in Sweden

Head Ushers Chosen for Lectures

Mrs. Robert B. M. Barton (Sally Parker) of Salem will have charge of the ushers at the first of the five current events lectures to be given under the auspices of the ways and means committee of the North Shore Babies' Hospital, which will be held at the Ho[illegible] on Monday morning, January 4

At last and [illegible] ads published in the Boston Ames can Sunday Advert[illegible] are broadcast [illegible] over Station WEOP at 10 [illegible] A Martin addition [illegible]

Brides-Elect Feted At Showers

THE BRIDE-ELECTS of the new year are the subject of the day's chit-chat. They have been honored at a series of showers and buffet suppers in spite of the idea that Christmas shopping is the only thing which occupies the minds of our young set.

Mrs. [illegible] Woodbridge was hostess at a supper recently in honor of Miss Muriel Fitzgerald who becomes the bride of Dr. Joseph McCarthy of Concord, N. H., at an afternoon ceremony on the last Saturday in

Nancy Egan Honored

A supper at [illegible]

Plans Dance

BLONDE AND BLUE-EYED Margaret Reilly of Milton is actively engaged in making plans for the annual Christmas dance of the Phidias Club, to be [illegible] for the Modern Club [illegible] in the Municipal Building [illegible]

Dinner Will Open Fund Drive

[illegible] Dress of Black

Club Calendar

THIS EVENING

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THIS DAY

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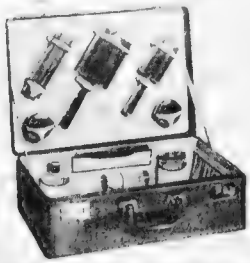
LUGGAGE..
for the Travel-Wise

[illegible] All, also [illegible]



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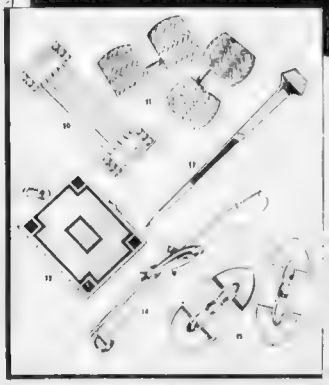

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$40 [illegible]

SHREVE CRUMP & LOW COMPANY

BOSTON after DARK

BY GEORGE HOLLAND

Wally! Wally! How Dare You!

WALLACE BEERY CECILIA PARKER

Can you imagine anyone not being delighted to have Cecilia Parker kiss him? Well, it looks like Wallace Beery does not fancy the affection Cecilia is showing him in the scene from "Old Hutch," Wally's latest film which comes to Loew's State and Orpheum tomorrow.

Gypsy Rose Lee Tested For Film Stardom

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS

Motion Picture Editor, Universal Service

Los Angeles, Dec. 16—The much publicized Gypsy Rose Lee, ex-burlesque queen and momentary craze of Broadway, has her eye turned tow ard Hollywood. Miss Lee, whose symmetry of figure and beauty of face were so widely pictured in the newsreels follo ing her recent jewel robbery, is being tested by 20th Century Fo n New York.

Louella Parsons

Snapshots of Hollywood

Talented

Margaret Lindsay, the Hollywood's most pop state returns to the Para mount and Fenway screen tomorrow in "Isle of Fury"

MOVIE CLOCK

Magnificent Brute," Light Brigade"; 10:30, 1:30, 4:25, 7:20, 10:15.

MODERN—"Dodsworth"; 10:30, 1:30, 4:35, 7:40, 10:45.

PARAMOUNT—"Tarzan Escapes"; 10:30, 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30.

PARK—"Navy Wife"; 10:30, 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30.

GAYETY—Burlesque; 10:30, 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30.

STATE—"Old Hutch"; 10:30, 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30.

ORPHEUM—"Old Hutch"; 10:30, 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30.

COLLEGE—"Sin Ship," West Young "Sutter," 10:30, 1:05, 3:40, 6:15, 8:50, 11:25.

TREMONT—"Thanks a Million," 10:30, 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30.

WASHINGTON—"Dodsworth"; 10:30, 1:30, 4:30, 7:30, 10:30.

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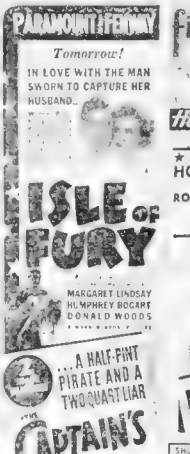

Leisure to Repent

By Ursula Parrott

CHAPTER XIV

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"You and I"

A Strange Couple

Give Her English Tweeds or "White Wine" Frock

It's Oak Tweed for Town—to be proud of the Tea Party, and Gothic at the theatre [illegible] Ann Lee wears [illegible] Anne Adams model. [illegible] Anne Adams model. [illegible] Anne Adams model.

ADVICE on LOVE and MARRIAGE -:- By Beatrice Fairfax

Absence Often Sure Test Of Girl's Affection Toward a Boy

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Gifts to Take You Fragrantly Around Clock

Cologne 'Twins' Come in Sparkling Candle-Stick Bottles

By ARLINE GOULD

ARE you having difficulty with your gift list? It makes no difference whether it is a short, happy little list or one breathtaking in length—they are all surprisingly difficult to fill up with only eight shopping days to go.

Here's a word or two to the wise who have an inner-trembling that several sweet but impressive feasts were seen to have everything.' You can't make any mistake in giving a woman a [illegible] and she'll [illegible]

ON AIR WAVES

Gang Busters To Put On Thriller

"Your Figure, Madame!"

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Best Bets Today

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Air Santa Maps Route Over N. E. Lighthouses

Capt. Wincapaw To Carry Cheer To Lonely

There's a small section of brown picket fence around the lighthouse on Monhegan Island that means Christmas to the ten children whose world is bounded by water and fog.

Real Santa

REAL FRIEND OF MAROONED READY TO TAKE YEARLY FLIGHT

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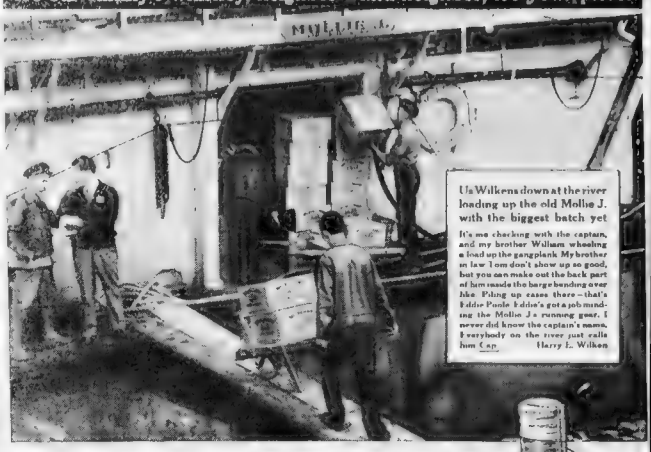

Us Wilkens down at the river loading up the old Mollie J. with the biggest batch yet

It's me checking with the captain, and my brother Willam wheeling a load up the gangplank. My brother-in-law I-on don't show up so good, but you can make out the back part of him minds the barge banding over Ike Piling up cases there—that's Eddie Poole. Eddie's got a job mending the Mollie J.'s running gear. I never did know the captain's name. Everybody on the river just calls him Cap.

Harry L. Wilken

With the holidays coming on—everybody seems set on getting this extra tasty whiskey!

I know business never hummed like it's humming now for the Wilken Family Whiskey!

I don't suppose we Wilkens could have been different from what they are. I mean folks finding the Wilken Family Whiskey tastier and milder leaving on their throat than anything they ever got a taste of. For this whiskey is more than one man's whiskey—it's our own Family's Recipe—the personal favorite of us distillers that have been a family of whiskey making people since I-on didn't get six bits for Tom. Take Grandpa Wilken. He was a distiller. And Pa Wilken. He put in forty odd years at it. And that's not mentioning William and me and Tom. And the best of everything that all of us ever learned concerning the making of good whiskey is in this Family's Recipe of ours. So I'd say it would be funny if it wasn't just the best you ever tasted!

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NEW ENGLAND'S GREATEST EVENING NEWSPAPER

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1936 17

ASK RECOUNT IN FALL RIVER

THIS IS LIFE

—BY—

Robert E. Rogers

ROBERT E. ROGERS

...without conditions. Individual circumstances had something to do with it, but it is expected that another year the require-...

Must Fit Standard or Quit Course

...

Stabilization Plan Looks Desirable

In principle the stabilization plan which is being introduced this fall and put into effect at the beginning of next term promises to be as desirable as could be asked for.

However, there is a question whether or not the seemingly abrupt introduction of the plan at this time is in accord with our accepted standards of ethics. Had the class of '39 been admitted to the Institute as freshmen with the distinct understanding that the plan for limited enrollment of all courses might affect them within the following year and a half, they would have nothing to complain of now. As it is, somewhere between ten and a hundred sophomores will be forced into the...

Get Opportunity for Re-entrance

Of course, this assumes that men forced out of such courses as Business Administration, Electrical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering and Chemical Engineering (the most popular courses) will have the desire and qualifications for entrance to such other courses as Mathematics, Physics, Architectural Engineering, Naval Architecture, or Sanitary Engineering. The men are given an opportunity, however small it may be, to seek re-entrance to their chosen courses during the following year, but unless they are able to return to the classified list by the match of their Junior year, they are automatically eliminated even though they meet the minimum scholastic requirements.

"The principle of the plan is most desirable in that it will inevitably raise the scholastic and professional standards of the school and give those who survive a better chance at placement. But it is extremely unfortunate for the present sophomore class because of the surprise element and for the Administration because of the unethical implications."

Sarah Churchill To Wed Oliver

Love Comes Dancing

MISS SARAH CHURCHILL AND VIC OLIVER

Statesman's Daughter to Be His Bride

...dei, in New York when they announced their engagement.

HER FIRST LOVE

Miss Churchill's dash to America on the Britannia early in September made headlines in two countries. Her brother, Randolph, followed her on the next boat.

But for two months all she and Oliver would say was, "We're just good friends."

The daughter of the former British chancellor of the exchequer, who was one of former King Edward's staunchest friends in the late "constitutional crisis," told reporters she had left a life of ... to turn out to be true in the end.

SCOFFS AT ROMANCE

While having in Baltimore, native city of Mrs. Simpson, Miss ... a four-foot dirge in Water street near his home, where he had evidently fallen when his head was ... again on a highway near his home.

BEVERLY Names New MAYOR

M'LEAN WINS FROM TORREY

A recount was sought today in Fall River's mayoralty election, apparently decided by a narrow margin of 317 votes.

Winner on the face of the returns was Mayor Alexander C. Murray seeking a second term ... votes to former Mayor Edmond P. Talbot's 18,733.

... were Melvan Mc... Torrey 4433.

The Fall River election was one of the ... fought in ...

The ... former Mayor Talbot, was Democratic candidate ... Democratic ... years ago. His friends were present in ... a ...

... Lewis R. Morley and W. Arthur Silvia.

Three of the ... were elected in the Fall River school ...

Chimney Razed At Courthouse

On Its Way to Earth

(Photo from International News Photograph Service)

COURTHOUSE CHIMNEY FALLS

Thousands See Wreckers at Work

...has been underway for some time, but the falling chimney provided ...

...ers also ...

Unconscious Spell Again Fells Boy Accident Victim

...wood avenue, Hyde Park, is confined to a hospital after being picked up unconscious on the highway.

Physicians at Boston City Hospital, to whom he was removed after being found in Dana avenue, Hyde Park, believe he may be suffering from a clot on the brain.

Young Durant's first trouble occurred last October when he was hitch-hiking in Greenboro, South ... companion was. He ran into a pole ...

$10,000 Ratshesky Funds Donated to 38 Charities

...38 Boston charitable associations were announced today by the A. C. Ratshesky Foundation.

Leading the list were the Beth Israel Hospital, $1800, and the Boston Dispensary and the Hebrew Home for Aged with $600 each. Others were:

American Red Cross—Boston Metropolitan Chapter	$200
Beth Israel Hospital — Social Service Department	300
Boston Children's Aid Society	100
Boston City Hospital — Social Service Department	100
Boston Tuberculosis Association	200
Boston Dispensary	600
Children's Hospital	500
Community Health Association	500
Florence Crittenton League of Compassion	100
Hebrew Home for Aged	600
Harvard Infantile Paralysis Commission	100
Hebrew Free Loan Society	100
Home for Aged Colored Women	200
Household Nursing Association, Inc.	400
Infants' Hospital	200
Jewish Women's Convalescent Home	100
Massachusetts General Hospital	500
Mass. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	100
Mass. Society for Social Hygiene, Inc.	200
Maverick Dispensary	100
North Bennet Street Industrial School	100
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	200
Roxbury Ladies Aid and Fuel Society	200
Salvation Army	100
St. Elizabeth's Hospital	200
The Seeing Eye, Inc. (for the Blind)	200
Robert Gould Shaw House	100
South End Day Nursery	100

GIRL INJURED IN MYSTERY

Worcester, Dec. 16 Suffering from a fractured skull and in a critical condition, Miss Dorothy Dingman, 16, of 55 Greenwood ... girl's bedside in the hospital to talk to her if she recovers sufficiently to give an account of what occurred.

... Miss ... was ... ne found her daughter lying on the doorstep, in a dazed condition. The girl explained that she had a headache and went to bed.

The mother told police that the ... three other persons and jumped out of the car before Miss Dingman and she believes the other ... door step and fled.

Bill Seeks State Rule Over Tunnel

Operation of the East Boston vehicular tunnel would be taken over by the state department of public works under the terms of a bill filed at the State House today by Representative Thomas E. Barry of East Boston. The tunnel is now operated by the City of Boston.

Under the provisions of the bill the operating deficit would be paid ...

BOSTON MILK SUPPLY SET

Greater Boston was assured by both warring milk factions today of an ample supply of milk as the New England Dairies Inc. latest farmers cooperative put into effect today its arrangement with drawn of milk from the H. P. Hood & Sons Company, large Boston distributor.

In a disagreement over equalization payments, the cooperative previously announced it would not supply milk to the Whiting Company, another important distributor which dealers handled it. Any milk turned in at the cooperatives which was not shipped to Boston, ... received, up to noon today, 80 per cent of normal deliveries, proof the company claimed the producers were in sympathy with the cooperative action.

Morgan L. Cooley Will Probated

The will of Morgan L. Cooley retired Newton broker who committed suicide five weeks ago ... his summer home in Ridgefield was allowed today in Middlesex Probate ... by Judge Alton C. Wilkinson.

To his widow, Anna M. Cooley he left 75 per cent of his cash and securities and 25 per cent to his son Howard Hewitt Cooley of Waterbury, Newton. He also owned land in Florida and all his real estate in Ridgefield including the $17,000 summer home and three ...

Lack of School Progress Noted in 'Boy Criminals'

Humiliation of watching their ... attitudes are forced to associate with "officials was blamed today for the development of many of the country's boy criminals."

Addressing the First New England Conference on Probation, Paul ... F. Towne deputy superintendent of Providence schools, at the Hotel Statler said:

"The evidence shows that many of our youthful criminals haven't progressed beyond the fourth grade.

"Since no state allows pupils ... school until they are 14, ... according to ... that they are ... by criminals must have been retarded for at least several years.

"The psychology of this retardation is accompanied by the humiliation of seeing boys of their own age pass successfully by, while they are condemned to associate with infants."

The Reverend Robert P. Barry of the Catholic Charities Bureau, declared that it is the tendency of the new social reform to pay the heaviest attention to religion.

"The emphasis in American prisons," said Father Barry, "and this is true of New England institutions, on religious values is conspicuous by its absence," he said.

GIRL ABOUT TOWN

—BY—

Marguerite Downey

MARGUERITE DOWNEY

Indians have become the town's social lions. It's the wooden, cigar-store variety which has been taken up by the social register set as "quaint bits of Americana."

Enthusiasts will admit that the stolid statuary is scarcely beautiful from the artistic viewpoint, but symmetry and coloring determine the price of wooden figures which, at one time, adorned every cigar shop in town.

But vanishing Americans they are. Several are found in the yard of a Beacon street antique dealer, more were discovered in a Chestnut street garden, but only one remained in his natural habitat, a Washington street tobacco shop.

He's a comparatively recent example of the extant art. Carved only a few years ago at the request of the shop owner, Arthur Bracy, he represents Samoset. But Samoset has gone soft, with a hole in his head. Through the opening is poured linseed oil, as a protection against Boston's rigorous climate.

His rival, Algonquin, has done much better. As the gift of Francis W. Fabyan to the Algonquin Club, he stares through unseeing eyes in the lobby of the exclusive club. Pocahontas has abandoned the murky atmosphere of a smoke shop for Miss Clara Endicott Sears' quiet garden.

Some Even Sent to Philippines

Owner of the town's most complete collection was the late Wilmot Evans, president of the Five Cents Savings Bank. They ranged from Indian chieftains to babies. Since his death a year, the figures have been distributed, even finding their way to the Philippines.

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Boston police department is undergoing an evolution, in which bookies and gamblers don't figure.

Entire wire work of the department has been centralized at a large board and map. One glance is all that's necessary and you'll discover just what 65 patrol cars, 57 wagons and 16 special squad cars are doing.

The city has been dotted with tell-tale yellow, green and red lights. When the map flashes yellow, the car is covering his regular beat. Green designates a beat sent on a special assignment.

Thrilling as Game of War—Which It Is

Key intersections and bridgeheads are marked with red lights. In case of a holdup, special cars are dispatched to the spots which flash immediately showing that all sections have been covered.

It's as thrilling as a game of war or something comparable to it, in the opinion of Joe Barrett, who conceived the idea. He's been actively engaged in radio work for thirty years and pooh-poohs the thought of having accomplished anything worth-while.

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Even Yule-tide logs aren't safe from the scientific touch. Modern fireplaces and impatient people have caused the old ones of white birch saturated in sea water to become obsolete.

The popular log of today is much smaller and is drilled with holes into which a chemical solution is poured. This creates a colorful flame of different shades, but for those who can't wait long enough, a bag of Yule chips may be thrown on the fire.

Ignorance Deplored in Use of Mistletoe

There's been a revival in holiday customs according to Henry J. Taubert who has been in the Christmas trimmings business for 30 years. But the young set, in his opinion, are terribly ignorant of the use of mistletoe.

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GIRL ABOUT TOWN—Hotel Statler calls its music "polite swing." Hot swing patrons need not apply . . . One of this year's deb flock has been sporting white angora mittens at the parties. She wears them throughout the evening, no matter how torrid the jazz . . . Current issue of one of the fashion magazines suggests tooth-picks on the table as the ultimate in swank when entertaining at dinner. Yours for the old-fashioned wooden ones. No new-fangled cellophane ones, we hope.

PHONE YOUR NEWS TIPS TO THE BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN AND SHARE IN $50 CASH AWARDS THAT ARE OFFERED EACH WEEK

Do you want to make some money for being alert? If so the Boston Evening American and the Sunday Advertiser are presenting the opportunity. Every week a total of $50 in prizes will be given for news tips telephoned in to the News Tip Editor at Liberty 4000. There will be given $25 weekly for the best first exclusive news tip received, $10 for the next best, $5 for the next best and $1 prizes for each of the 10 next most valuable tips.

KEARNS BIDS FOR GARDEN-ARENA

SEEKS CONTROL OF BOXING IN DRIVE FOR NEW DEMPSEY

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS
NEW ENGLAND'S GREATEST EVENING NEWSPAPER
18 BOSTON, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1931

AUSTEN LAKE

Christmas Bargain, *Helpful Hint for* Boston's Tiny Tims

IT IS RISING CHRISTMAS TIME AGAIN and bustling bundle bearers are elbowing past store fronts that bulge with rich foods and bright gifts. The cordial atmosphere of the downtown canyons are cheerful with colored lights, the silver tinkle of Salvation Santas, the toots and squeaks of toy peddlers and the fragrance of fir and balsam. Store choirs chirp the Herald Angels.

Austen Lake

That is, for YOU they do!

But for the tiny Tims and the little Batteses who dwell below prosperity's belt in Boston's poverty regions Christmas is just a season for stomachs and dinner is little more than a kitchen smell.

Uptown Christmas fun is in some cozy parlor where loving hands have spread mechanical marvels under the boughs of a jewel-trimmed tree. A fat feast is in the pantry.

But down [illegible] scrooging on a pavement swinging on a [illegible] with a [illegible] Christmas cards are [illegible] from a car [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible]

So what?

So, my friends, for the betterment of your digestion and the uplift of your spirit, do unlatch your purse strings and donate $4, the price of one Boston American Christmas basket. Because 100 cents of every dollar goes into groceries and jimcracks for comforting humble stomachs and brightening small hearts.

The bargain is all yours!

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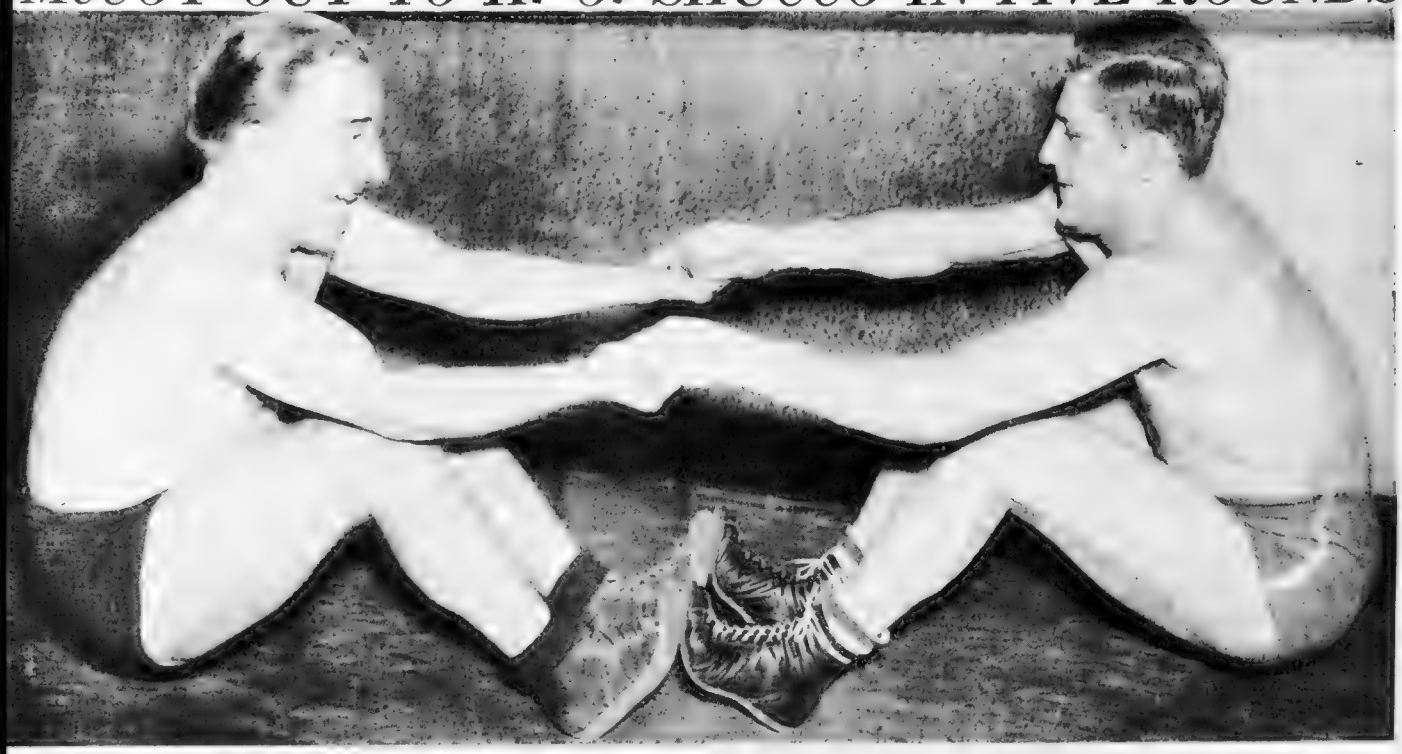
Foto-Finish for Football

PRIZE FOR DAFFY SUGGESTIONS on a cure for the "pass interference" problem in football is that offered by Howard Jones, the Southern California coach. He would have a "camera eye," similar to those used to photograph finishes at the horse track, and snap all plays on or behind the goal line. This, he believes, would relieve split-second decisions by the officials, who would have nothing to say about scoring plays or end zone penalties until the films had been developed and digested at leisure.

Reasons why this is ridiculous are so varied that this pillar [illegible] camera [illegible] Suffice to say [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

McCOY OUT TO K. O. SHUCCO IN FIVE ROUNDS



[illegible] champion workout together for important events. Shucco battles Al McCoy at Mechanics Building Friday night for the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund, while Jaffee will try to break the world's record for one mile indoors at the Skaters' Frolic at the Arena Saturday night.

MR. BOSTON

By JACK CONWAY

CHARLES F. ADAMS and Bruce Wetmore will [illegible] on at Suffolk Downs next year.

The details by which either Walter O'Hara of Narragansett Park, or a group headed by Allan Wilson, former [illegible] of Suffolk Downs, would take over [illegible] are definitely off.

Adams' Stand

American League Pitching Records

CLUB PITCHING RECORDS

[illegible]

AMERICAN LEAGUE ADDITIONAL PITCHERS RECORDS

[illegible]

Random Shots

[illegible]

McCoy Asks Ban On Holding

By JACK CONWAY

Al McCoy today served notice on Tony Shucco he will knock him out inside of five rounds at the Christmas Basket Fund show at Mechanics Building on Friday night if the New England heavyweight champion will stand up and fight.

I want Shucco to know I will knock him as cold as a mackerel inside of five rounds if he is courageous enough to make a fight out of it," said McCoy with fire in his eyes.

I am in the best condition of my career. I think I am the only white heavyweight who can beat Joe Louis. I would like to start my campaign for a bout with Louis by knocking Shucco out. I don't flatter Shucco's needs of five rounds to do it only right if they will lessen caution to the winds and trade blows with me.

I am going to use the Boxing Commission's pet phrase when the ring who will not permit Shucco to run and hold. The public is entitled to the best Shucco and myself have in the way of fighting ability. I don't intend to take a backwards step and I hope Shucco make a similar decision.

If Shucco will quit running and holding and fight I shall knock him cold inside of five rounds.

Popular prices [illegible] cents, $1 and $1.65 have made a solid appeal to the fans. There are still plenty of choice seats left despite the large advance sale.

Fight Results

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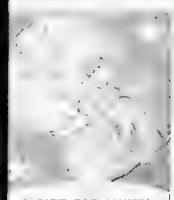

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All Wool
Flannel Robes
with his initials!
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Silk Robes $5.95 to $14.95
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AMERICAN ADVERTISER

Silver Skates Derby Entry Blank

Finals to be held Sunday, January 10, 1937, at 2 P. M., At Franklin Field, Dorchester

1—Men's Senior Derby 4—Boys' Juvenile Derby
2—Boys' Intermediate Derby 5—Girls' Senior Derby
3—Boys' Junior Derby 6—Girls' Intermediate Derby
7—Boys' Midget Derby
(INDICATE WITH X THE EVENT ENTERED)
No Entry Fee Required
Sanctioned by the New England Skating Association

NAME ..... AGE .....
ADDRESS ..... CLUB .....
TOWN ..... CITY ..... STATE .....
(PRINT YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS—DO NOT WRITE)
SEND ENTRIES TO IRVING JAFFEE, Boston American and Boston Sunday Advertiser, No. 5 Winthrop Square, Boston, Mass.

Here Are Rules for Skates Derby

All entrants in Derby must be amateur skaters. They must be bona fide residents of New England.

Boys who will reach their 12th birthday before [illegible] are eligible.

Boys who will not have reached their 14th birthday before [illegible] are eligible.

Boys who have passed their 14th birthday but not their 16th birthday the day of the race are ineligible.

Boys who have passed their 16th birthday the day of the race are ineligible.

Girls are eligible as above.

Contestants can enter ONE EVENT only.

Entrants in all classes other than senior must be prepared to show birth certificates.

Team trophy entrants must enter name of club they represent in teams of five only.

Revised Line, Jockeys at Tropical Park

By NATION-WIDE NEWS SERVICE

FIFTH RACE

Hae 116, Wall ... 4-1
Lady Boyd, 113, Porter ... 10-1
Dawn, 108, Hicks ... 10-1
Lucky Jr. 107, Tacke ... 8-5
Mountainside, 107, Ey. ... 5-1
Mr. Dale, 104, Anderson ... 15-1
Mary Jane, 107, Hilliard ... 6-1
Scratched—Romance, Carmel Lad.
Weather drizzling; track fast.
Post, 1:45 p. m.

Monks Gold, 112, Louman ... 20-1
Brother Newt, 115, Rosen ... 6-1
Nalita J., 109, no boy ... 15-1

SIXTH RACE

Indian Toy, 116, Wall ... 4-1
Ima Bee, 113, Porter ... 10-1
Dawn, 108, Hicks ... 10-1
Lucky Jr. 107, Tacke ... 8-5
Mountainside, 107, Ey. ... 5-1
Mr. Dale, 104, Anderson ... 15-1
Mary Jane, 107, Hilliard ... 6-1
Scratched—Romance, Carmel Lad.
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Program Selections At Tropical Park

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Ima Bee, 113, Porter ... 10-1
Dawn, 108, Hicks ... 10-1
Lucky Jr. 107, Tacke ... 8-5
Mountainside, 107, Ey. ... 5-1
Mr. Dale, 104, Anderson ... 15-1
Mary Jane, 107, Hilliard ... 6-1
Scratched—Romance, Carmel Lad.
Weather drizzling; track fast.
Post, 1:45 p. m.

EIGHTH RACE

Marella, 109, Porter ... 4-1
Lucky Wife, 107, Wall ... 6-1
Lucky Boy, 112, Louman ... 8-1
Lucky Jr. 107, Tacke ... 8-5
Mountainside, 107, Ey. ... 5-1
Mr. Dale, 104, Anderson ... 15-1
Mary Jane, 107, Hilliard ... 6-1
Scratched—Romance, Carmel Lad.
Weather drizzling; track fast.
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TROPICAL PARK CHARTS

Charts Here

Mat Results

DAVE'S Best in SECOND

WATSON TO RIDE WILSON BET

By DAVE WILSON

Selections for Fast Track
BEST BET—ZEVANAID, SECOND RACE.

Tropical Park, Fla., Dec. 16—Zevanaid, a bangup second to Dark War appears safest wagering hazard of the eight-race card arranged for tomorrow at this racing strip.

The daughter of Zev received [illegible] at the start in her last and was [illegible] the way the race was run. R. Wa[illegible] and the Charlotte colt [illegible] to earn bracketing.

FIRST—Dickery Dock, Marinella, Star Loom.

DICKERY DOCK, nosed out by [illegible] should break into the money.

SECOND—Cornell Epitath, Dixie Princess

[illegible]

THIRD—Cool Rae, Likewise, Great Haste

[illegible]

FOURTH—Uncle, Conservative, Sir Wren

[illegible]

ICE FROLIC TICKETS

Tickets for the Gala Skaters' Frolic, at the Boston Arena on Saturday night, are on sale every day at the Boston Arena, the Boston Garden, and at Christmas Basket Fund Headquarters on Devonshire street in Winthrop square, Boston. Tickets are 40 cents, general admission, and 75 cents, $1.10 and $1.65 for reserved seats.

Twin Features At Gordon Bouts

[illegible]

Arena Card

15-MINUTE BOUTS

Dick Duffy, Dorchester, vs. Al Santres, Kansas
Ed McNeil, Chicago, vs. Tony Ugh Pedi
Ima Bee, Australia, vs. Carmon Carone, Italy
Dynamite Dempsey, Toledo, vs. Sebastian Delinski, Poland
Pat Schaffner, California, vs. Ike Goldberg, Bronx

SEMIFINAL BOUT, 30 MINUTES

Lee Chang, China, vs. Tony Papalino, Italy.

FIRST MAIN BOUT

Best Two-Out of Three Falls
Ted Germaine, South Boston vs. Count Xan Zippo, Germany

SECOND MAIN BOUT

Best Two-Out of Three Falls
Bill Collins, Georgia Cracker vs. Hick Jones, Harlem Terror
Referees, Bill Indian, Frank Woods

Roosevelt Kin Stars For Harvard

[illegible]

Pat Schaffer, California, vs. Ik[illegible]

5 Cities Vie For Bowling Tourney

By ED COGSWELL

Devotees of candlepin bowling are wondering to which city the annual New England Bowling Association tournament of 1937-38 will be awarded.

It is known that Lynn will be represented for the big tourney from Worcester, Springfield, Portland, Providence and Manchester, N. H.

During the N E B A championship tournament slated for December 26-30 and January 2 at the Commercial Alleys, Worcester, a meeting of the [illegible] will be held [illegible] which new New England duck pin [illegible]

Manchester aspires to securing the championship event this year, but [illegible] Worcester [illegible] and thousands of [illegible] are in line [illegible] New Hampshire [illegible]

[illegible]

Following the [illegible] will [illegible] the rules [illegible] Lynn [illegible] and two [illegible] Rockford [illegible]

Following [illegible] Bowling [illegible] scores, however, have been recorded regarding his skill in the Fenway [illegible] Austria, alleys. Decorating the alleys to represent all the cities and colors of the rooms is the latest. There is the gold room of the Huntington Club, which [illegible] a new [illegible] setting. Very attractive—very

Bowser Seeking Foe for Casey

[illegible]

Harvard

Freshman Teams Have Busy Day

Harvard's freshman athletic teams have a busy day today.

The undefeated freshman hockey team, which yesterday defeated Kindge Tech 8-1, journeys to Milton Academy for a match with the strong Suburban six. The freshman swimming team will meet the Lynn Y M C A, natators in the Harvard pool this afternoon. And a squash match is scheduled for the indoor courts.

8 Colleges Form N. E. Ice League

Eight New England colleges formed today the New England Intercollegiate Hockey League.

John M Harmon, athletic director at Boston University, was elected president for one year and Ralph T Jope secretary of the advisers athletic board at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, was named secretary-treasurer for two years.

Colleges in the league are Boston University, Boston College, North eastern, Lowell Textile, New Hampshire (represents Bowdoin College), M I T and Middlebury.

Each team must play at least five league games under the rules. Middlebury has none of the others [illegible] as opponents for this year but [illegible] standings will count.

Boston University already has defeated M I T, 7 to 1, and the game will count in the league [illegible]

It was expressed that the [illegible] may meet in other sports as a result of the league [illegible]

[illegible] of the league expressed [illegible] that [illegible] the league, [illegible] Athletic Director [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Hockey, Today and Yesterday

Ross Recalls Woes Of Referees in Early Days

By ART ROSS

Upon my return to Montreal in the spring of 1924, from Hamilton, Ont., where I'd been managing the Tigers of the National Hockey League, President Frank Calder assigned me to referee the Stanley Cup series between Les Canadiens and Calgary.

For a manager or anyone, other than a regular member of the referee's staff, to receive such assignment today would stun the hockey world. But, in the old days it was customary for managers and players during the off months to officiate. I had considerable experience as a whistle tooter.

[illegible]

JUDGE PUFFLE -:- Gene Ahern

Plenty of Time To Win One of These Cash Prizes!

ORDER BACK COPIES TODAY AND START AT THE BEGINNING

MOVIE TITLE and IDENTITY CONTEST

$10,000.00 in Cash Prizes!

FIRST PRIZE $5,000.00

THE RULES: READ THEM CAREFULLY

1. The MOVIE TITLE AND IDENTITY TEST consists of a series of 72 cartoons which appear consecutively in the Boston Evening American over a period of seven weeks, beginning on the first Monday after the start of the contest. Each day, Monday through Saturday, a cartoon will appear in the Boston American. Each Wednesday a Boston American will contain a picture of the first motion picture scene in which the cartoon will appear on the screen at one of the following M. & P. Theatres.

METROPOLITAN	FENWAY
PARAMOUNT	MODERN
NEW SCOLLAY	BEACON

WASHINGTON ST. OLYMPIA

2. The Boston American will pay $10,000.00 in cash awards to the [illegible] who send in correct [illegible] of the cartoons and motion picture titles in which the cartoons appear. Each picture title and players' names printed with each cartoon and the most appropriate slogan in the opinion of the judges.

All picture titles and players will be selected from Motion Pictures produced or distributed by 20th Century-Fox Film Corporation, Paramount Pictures Corporation and Warner Brothers Pictures Corporation.

The 75 awards are as follows:

First award	$1,000.00
Second award	500.00
Third award	300.00
Fourth award	250.00
Fifth award	100.00
Sixth award	75.00
Seventh award	50.00
Next ten awards, $25.00 each	250.00
Next ten awards, $10.00 each	100.00
Next 145 awards, $5.00 each	725.00
75 awards	$3,000.00

3. Any person, except employees of the Boston American and members of their families, living in New England may enter the contest. Contestants may enter as many times as they wish, but no contestant shall be entitled to more than one prize and not more than one prize will be awarded a family.

4. A person living outside of New England may enter the contest and receive the cartoons from the Boston American, but is not eligible for any prize.

5. To enter the contest, the Boston American is required. You may also receive the cartoons from the original Boston American and complete the set of pictures from the copies you have made. Copies of the Boston American may be examined at Boston American offices or public libraries free of charge.

6. Each entry should be sent by first class mail—postage prepaid. Entries with insufficient postage will be returned by the post office department. Contestants may send in as many sets as they wish but no contestant shall be entitled to more than one prize and not more than one prize will be awarded a family.

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9. The judges will be a committee appointed by the Boston American. Their decision will be final. In the event of a tie by two or more contestants for any position in the list of winners, the prize or prizes next in order will be combined and the same will be divided equally among those tying.

The entry of a participant is an acknowledgment and complete acceptance of all rules governing the contest, made now or at any time at the discretion of the judges.

The above M. and P. theatres mentioned here will carry on their screens scenes and titles of forthcoming productions which will be used in this contest.

Here's What You Can WIN

175 AWARDS---$10,000.00 IN CASH

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Second Award . .	$1,500.00	Eighth Award . .	$100.00
Third Award . .	1,000.00	Ninth Award . . .	75.00
Fourth Award . .	500.00	Tenth Award . .	50.00
Fifth Award . . .	300.00	Next Ten Awards $25.00 each . . .	250.00
Sixth Award . . .	250.00	Next Ten Awards $10.00 each . . .	100.00
Seventh Award . .	150.00	Next 145 Awards $5.00 each . . .	725.00

What Movie Title Does This Cartoon Represent?

NO ENTRY FEE TO PAY! NO COST TO YOU!

THIS CARTOON REPRESENTS:

title of picture _____

_____

_____

Correct Title Appears in This List

Crack Up, Hotel Haywire, The Prince and the Pauper, Slim, Isle Of Fury, Fugitive In The Sky, The Jones Family At The Country Fair, Trail Dust, John Meade's Woman

names of three players in it

_____

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_____

Select Names From This List

Benny Baker, Olympe Brands, Leif Erikson, Ben Blue, Warren Hull, Joan Parker, Warren Hymer, Joan Dixon, Joan Blair, Gordon Oliver, Bing Crosby, Dixie Dunbar

My Name _____

Address _____

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BACK COPIES

Back numbers of the Boston Evening American containing cartoons in the Movie Title and Identity Contest may be obtained in the circulation department at 5 Winthrop Sq., Boston, for two cents each. If sent by mail, three cents each.

Cartoon No. 45 Appears in Tomorrow's

BOSTON AMERICAN

New England's Greatest Evening Newspaper

The Junior Birdmen Of America

Devoted to the Interests of the Youth of the Americas on Aviation

Thomas Points of Model Perfection Plans

Adventurers Hail Birdmen

Featured by several new national competitions and local model plane exhibition and flying contests, plans to make 1937 the greatest year of activity so far arranged for Junior Birdmen of America, are now being formed at national and Boston wing head quarters.

JUNIOR BIRDMEN OF AMERICA

BEHIND the SCENES

By ART MOGER

BARNEY GOOGLE

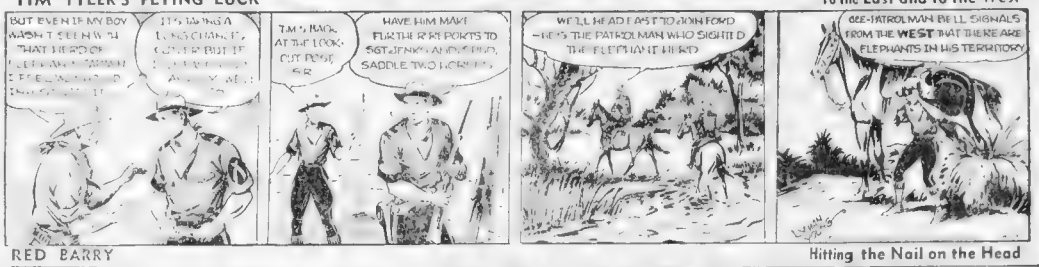
YE DON'T KNOW ONJEFFY, AS TO BARNEY-
SO YOU'RE GONNA HIDE UNDER TH' HOUSE THE REST OF YOUR LIFE?? YOU GOT A LOTTA SPUNK, I MUST SAY.....
I'M LTELLIN' YOU THAT WILL'M HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH WEAZY AN' MARCELLY GETTING MERRIED-- IT WAS JUST A MUCH OF A SURPRISE TO-
SHET YORE JAIR TRAP "GOOGLE"-- NOBODY AST YOU TO POKE YORE NUZ IN FER MY LAMBY AFFAIRS--
GIT OUT!!
BANG BANG
MOVE OVER, WILL'M- TIME'S A-WASTIN'
Billy DeBeck

We Meet Barney

SECRET AGENT X 9

The G-Man's Inseparable Pal

TIM TYLER'S FLYING LUCK


BUT EVEN IF MY BOY WASN'T SEEN W/ THAT HERD OF
IT'S AMAZING A LONG CHANGE, COWER BUT IF
TAM, BACK AT THE LOOK-OUT POST SIR
HAVE HIM MAKE FOR THE NEAREST PORTS TO SGT. JENKINS AND I FIND SADDLE TWO HORSES
WE'LL HEAD EAST TO JOIN FORD -HE'S THE PATROLMAN WHO SIGHTED THE ELEPHANT HERD
GEE-PATROLMAN BELL SIGNALS FROM THE WEST THAT THERE ARE ELEPHANTS IN HIS TERRITORY

To the East and to the West

RED BARRY

Hitting the Nail on the Head

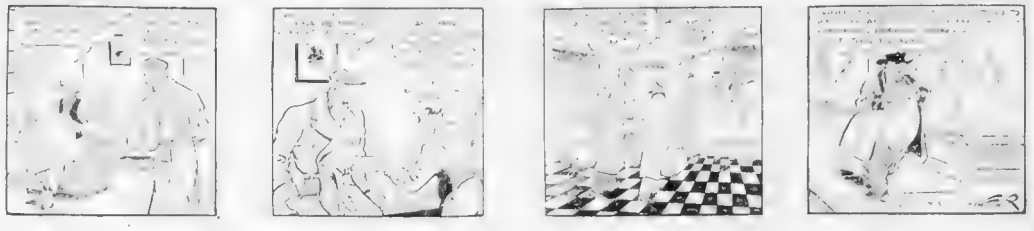
MANDRAKE, THE MAGICIAN

A Warm Reception

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

Babes in Toyland

JOE PALOOKA



Low in Funds

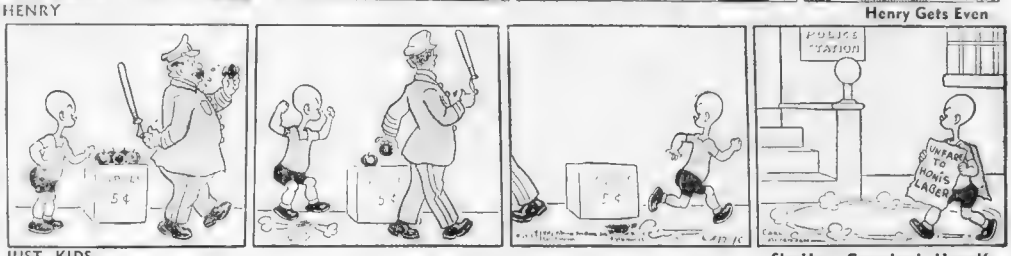
THIMBLE THEATRE, Starring POPEYE

BRINGING UP FATHER

The Soothsayer

HENRY

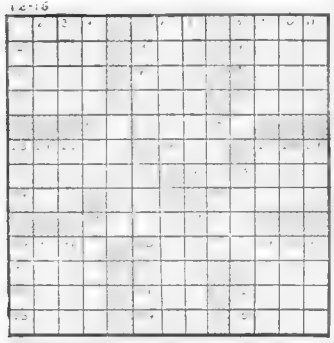
Henry Gets Even



JUST KIDS

She Has a Greenback, Herself

CROSS WORD PUZZLE — By Eugene Sheffer



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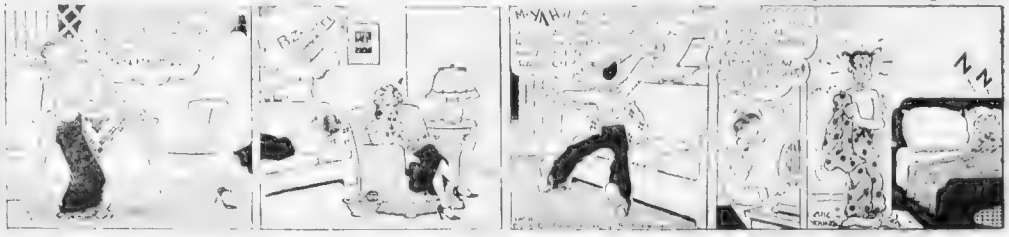

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NEW ENGLAND'S GREATEST EVENING NEWSPAPER

BOSTON, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1936 25

BOOM FEARS

Foreign INVESTMENTS Studied

By HUGH E. BRADSHAW

When considering the reputed anxiety of official Washington to curb any boom fever in its incipient stage do not overlook the possible actions that might be taken in regard to foreign investors.

This thought comes to us when the recent public "worryings" of administration leaders are considered. And few will deny the implication of likely measures to come in the event the inflow of foreign funds is deemed to be of dangerous proportions.

The Administrative and Research Corporation's latest weekly letter supplies some interesting ideas regarding the motivating purpose behind a possible inquiry into foreign investments here. Specifically it is likely that a method will be sought to prevent an abnormal security market with fictitious security values or a sudden withdrawal of foreign funds, the effects of which might induce panicky selling. To the authors of the weekly bulletin it does not appear that blanket penalties will answer the purpose. Furthermore, they do think such steps might inspire retaliatory measures which would adversely affect American investments abroad.

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Personally, we see little to fear from refabricating measures or about everything that can befall the American investor is a known quantity. The real danger to the trend is represented by a possible excise tax levy on foreign holdings or some similar move like a sales tax in regard to such holdings, or possibly an increase in the transfer tax on listed investments, and finally, a jump in the levies on dividends and royalties paid to foreign holders. Any steps have all been proposed to various Washington officials. And in connection with the latter's bullish so-called bonus tendencies the thing to fear is the immediate result which could easily be panicky selling of an unsettling nature.

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Notebook: Barnsdall always seems to be among the favored oils . . . The Stock Exchange is firm and lasting friends . . . Aviation Corporation is slow getting into line but it is trying . . . Westinghouse Air has lost none of its following . . . That "Sunday night effect" [illegible] had a new process which would benefit Molybdenum as well as itself helped the latter very little . . . However, we are hoping for the best since Moly is one of the big disappointments in our life . . . The low priced oils on the curb have been promising to go places in a large manner that if they fail to make good soon we would consider taking a few profits.

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The stock market as pictured by the stock tape appears to look much better than we think it is underneath the activity. Steels, oils and coppers are notorious "bellwethers" and while a certain superstition has little, if any place, in market calculations it is difficult to beat back the thing by the three groups have always had an attraction for the public that other groups do not possess. Remember, if they are given a smart move in just the right place theorists generally feel that liquidation in other directions is facilitated. When the position of average prices at the moment is considered together with tape happenings we are more inclined than ever to take matters easily.

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Ticker Ticks: If Utah Metals on the Boston board does not stop having those sinking spells some of those who bought it on the recent pump are going to come to the conclusion that it is an awfully hard stock to follow . . . The Boston & Maine issues are perking up again . . . Especially the lettered issues traded in in Boston . . . Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway preferreds are probably the most talked of local issues at present . . . Good profits for the road are seen and, of course, later dividend liberality by the corporation.

"EL" CUTS November Deficit

A reduction of $22,427 in the excess of cost of service over receipts for November is reported by the trustees of the Boston Elevated Railway. This excess was $155,279 in November, 1935, and $160,852 in November last year. For the eight months of the current fiscal year ended November 30 this year, excess cost of service over receipts was $1,804,251 compared with $2,004,-405 for the same period last year, a reduction of $200,244.

The number of revenue passengers carried—24,622,498 this November—contrasts with 25,159,963 in November, 1935, and the increase in the eight months period was from 178,514,919 last year to 180,324,-

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AdamsMil.2½g	1	27½	27½	27½	– ½
Address I . . .	1	34¾	34½	34½	– ¼
Air Reduc . . .	1	78¾	78¾	78¾	– ¼
Air Way El A2	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	– ¼
Alaska Jn .75b	6	14¾	14¾	14¾	
Alleg Corp . .	68	4¾	4½	4½	– ⅛
Alleg pf 4½w	3	14¾	14¾	14¾	– ¼
Allg Cir pf pf.	1	47¾	47¾	47¾	– ¼
Allg Ry 4½ 1950	1	39	38	38	– ½
Allied Ch 8 . .	2	281	280	281	– ¼
AlliedMills.10g	6	31¾	30¾	30¾	– ¾
Allied Stores 1	1	15½	15½	15½	– ⅛
Allied Strs pf5	8	87½	86¾	86¾	– ¾
AlliedVal 1.50	8	75¾	74	74¼	– ¾
Alpha Port 1	1	30¾	30¾	30¾	+ ¾
Amal Leather .	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	– ¼
Amal Sug pf 7	1	97	97	97	– ¼
Amerada 2 . . .	5	100¾	99	100¾	– ¼
Am Ag Ch pf 3.	1	85	85	85	– ¼
Am Bdg & M 2	1	59¾	57¾	57¾	– ¾
Am Br Sh 1.40	1	68	67	68	
Am Can 5b . .	15	115½	114	115	– ½
Am Car&Fdy .	1	57¾	57¾	57¾	– ¼
Am Car&Fy pf	1	95½	94½	95½	– ¾
Am Chain 1 . .	1	41	41	41	– ¼
Am Comptm 2.50	1	119	119	119	– ¼
Am Cnfectnpr.	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	– ¼
Am Encaustic .	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	– ¼
Am Hide&L pf.	1	120	119½	119½	– ½
Am H&L 1.60g	44	23¾	23¼	23¼	– ¼
Am H&L pf 6g	2	74¾	74¼	74¼	– ¼
Am Metal . . .	7	52¾	52	52¼	– ¼
Am MetalofDf	1	23½	23½	23½	– ¼
Am Pow & L. 1.42	7	59¾	57¾	59¾	+ 1¾
Am&For 6 pf. .	4	48¾	48¼	48¾	
Am&For 2 pf . .	13	21½	20	21½	+ 1½
Am Rad&St 1 .	1	15¾	15¾	15¾	– ¼
AmRadStS2g .	1	7¾	7	7	
Am Rolling 1 .	1	41¼	41¼	41¼	– ¼
Am Ry&Pwr 4g	1	48½	48½	48½	– ¼
Am Ice	14	23½	23½	23½	
Am Ice pf 6 . .	1	84½	84½	84½	– ½
Am Inter	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	
Am Loco	14	47¾	47¼	47¼	– ¼
Am Mach&F . .	1	120	119½	119½	– ½
Am M&FS 1.60g	44	23¾	23¼	23¼	– ¼
AmMach&Fd 2	1	52¾	52¾	52¾	– ¼
Am Metal	1	52¾	52¾	52¾	– ¼
Am MetalofDf .	1	23½	23½	23½	– ¼
Am Pow & L. 1.42	7	59¾	57¾	59¾	+ 1¾
AmP&L pf1.50g	1	69	69	69	– ¼

NEW Management FASHION

PREFERENCE OF PUBLIC

By MERRYLE STANLEY RUKEYSER
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New York, Dec. 16—Efforts of business men to adjust themselves to political trends are going beyond mere lip service.

The composition of the very intelligence centers of corporation management is being changed.

In some quarters there is a quiet revolt against banker domination. There is an attempt to comply with the preference of the public.

There is an evidence of this new fashion in the recent announcement by Robert F. Pack, president, the Northern States Power Company (Minnesota), of a change in its directorate. The board has been reduced in size and virtually all the directors under the new setup will be residents of the territory served.

The newly-elected directors are all operating officials of the company and have been employed in the service of this group for many years. The Minneapolis General Electric Company took similar action. The change was plainly intended to conform to the trend toward the lessening of intercorporate affiliations.

Mr. Pack specifically indicated that such actions are expressions of the intentions of the directing heads of the national to cooperate further with the federal administration in carrying out provisions of the public utility holding act of 1935.

Long before the New Deal reaction bolstered companies brought about similar representation on their boards of directors. Industrial enterprises such as Allied Chemical & Dye and National Lead, confine their board membership largely to executives operating officials, and have long been successful in pursuing this policy. On the other hand, industries which include representation on the board by bankers and other financial benefits of wider contacts and a broader outlook.

One of the greatest problems of the nation is how to prosper selling. Ordinary high pressure selling is referred to subsequent and frequent lapses of policies. On the other hand the assurance that is bought without selling pressure through the agentless Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association or through the savings banks of Massachusetts has a much better record for persistency.

In general input in the depression year 1932 amounted to 80 per cent of new industrial policies written. At the end of a decade, a leading non-agency insurance company had fallen to 57 per cent in business on its books of 85.7 per cent, whereas the group of agency companies gained but 25.7 per cent. In a comparable period, the Massachusetts savings banks showed a net gain of 42 per cent.

A major challenge to management is how larger companies is to curtail the lapse ratio. Intelligent use of advertising—to supplement the agent's efforts might be helpful.

HANEY ON WHEAT

Hitler Soft Pedals RELIGIOUS ATTACKS *To Obtain Bread*

By LEWIS HANEY
(Professor of Economics, New York University)

New York, Dec. 16—As often happens, there were two apparently unrelated points in yesterday's headlines which challenged attention.

One reads: "Hitler tells Nazis to cease attacks upon Christianity."

The other said: "Grain prices reach a 7-year high."

Each of these two matters is interesting in its own way as a separate condition.

In fact, however, one is a cause, and the other a result—with many complicated relations between them.

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Adolf Hitler, the German chancellor, has ordered his followers to cease their attacks upon Christianity. Recently, for example, Christian symbols have been removed from children's school rooms.

Many parents have been deeply moved by the thought that their children would not have the benefits of Christianity and might even be taught to hate Christ and the Christian Church.

This is where the wheat prices come in.

Germany is reported to be in great need of grain. Her prospective purchases in the world markets have run the price up.

If German peasants and small farmers are the chief domestic producers of grain. Nothing should be done to displease them or to endanger national unity in the economic program.

But German peasants are religious. The anti-Christian campaign, therefore, is endangering the co-operation of the peasants in growing grain and delivering it according to schedule.

So the leader soft-pedals attacks on religion in order to get bread.

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There are various practical inferences to be drawn from the situation.

One is that the dictators are not, at present, likely to consider it a good time to start a war. That would shut them off from the grain fields of Argentina, Australia and Canada.

Another is that there is a good chance of prosperity for American grain growers next year.

Still another is that our costs of living are likely to be considerably higher. City laborers would not be as enthusiastic about the situation as the farmers.

It would seem to follow that there will be less tendency to restrict crops by government control schemes; while the tendency toward inflation will be increased.

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To my mind, however, the most interesting point is the way in which dictatorships and nationalism are affected by religion.

Dictators tend toward one or the other of two extremes: They either seize upon religion and make it work for them, or else they try to destroy religion.

If they can, they develop a new religion, of which the political dictator is the head. Or they tie the existing religion in with their plans.

In these ways, they make the religious sense of duty and submission to Divine power serve their purpose. Hitler and Mussolini have tried these two methods. Stalin seems to have tried the other way.

Nationalism means a tendency to make religion a matter of race or geography or politics.

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Religion, however, is essentially opposed to these things—to dictatorships and nationalism. At least, so it seems to me. It can be made to serve such masters, but this is not its true nature.

Religion concerns eternity and mankind as a whole. It looks ahead to the distant future and around to all peoples.

Thus, religion does not encourage temporary "emergencies" and worldly discontents. It does not recognize national barriers. It stands for the long-run brotherhood of man.

Real religion always stands for individual rights, as well as individual duties.

It is not probable, therefore, that the development of truly religious values in the world may yet serve as the means of ending narrow nationalism, dictatorships, and wars?

Does Hitler's present difficulty not suggest this?

STEEL Rate Forced UP

EXPANSION LIMITED

New York, Dec. 16 (AP) — Under extreme pressure to get out tremendous tonnages booked in the past few weeks, steel mills have increased operations in every possible way, causing a rise in the average ingot output for the country to 79 per cent, "Iron Age" said today in its review of the industry.

"Although the present rate undoubtedly will continue for several weeks at least," the review said, "further expansion of production will be hindered by shortages that exist, principally in coke, pig iron and raw steel.

"Coke shortage will be a deterrent to further pig iron production, and there is fear that some active blast furnaces will be forced to go out soon for relining.

"The rising trend of operations and unfilled orders has been accompanied by the sharpest advance in steel scrap prices that has been recorded in a single week in years. At Pittsburgh the rise is $1.25 a ton to $19, based on a substantial sale to a mill, and there have been advances of 75 cents at Chicago and 50 cents at Philadelphia, bringing the Iron Age composite price to $17.33, the highest since January 29, 1929, when it was $17.58.

"After the flood of orders in late November and early December, the industry is experiencing what, by comparison, might be termed a lull, although the volume of incoming business would still be considered good by all normal comparisons.

"Buying has subsided principally in those products no longer obtainable for fourth quarter prices, such as sheets, strip and wire products, while in plates and shapes the protection of the low price to Dec. 31 on pending construction projects, including railroad equipment, is bringing rising sales totals on those products. Meanwhile, some consumers including automobile manufacturers, who did not secure enough sheets at the old prices, have bought for February shipment at the new prices."

Leaf Tobacco

Universal Leaf Tobacco Co. declared an extra dividend of $2.50 on the common, payable December 29, to stock of record December 19, and regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents on the common.

25 Years Ago

New York, Dec. 16 (INS)—Government sued to dissolve United Shoe Machinery Co.

Copper went to 13½ cents, highest in a year.

First National Bank of New York paid 5 per cent regular and 10 per cent extra dividend.

Electric Power Output at New Peak

New York, Dec. 16 (AP)—The Associated Press index of electric power production, with 1929-1930 taken as 100, advanced for the week ended Dec. 12 to 119.8, the highest on record, from 119.0 the preceding week. The index, which is adjusted for seasonal and long-term trend, stood at 104.3 a year ago.

The range for recent years follows:

	1936	1935	1934	1933
High	119.8	105.5	97.1	91.9
Low	102.9	94.1	91.9	80.2

Annual production, as reported by Edison Electric Institute, also reached a new high since the records have been kept. The output was 2,278,500,000 kilowatt hours, an increase of 7.6 per cent over the 2,117,598,000 kilowatt hours produced last week, and 14.9 per cent higher than the 1,982,415,000 kilowatt hours recorded in the same week last year.

All major U. S. geographic regions showed gains over 1935. Pacific Coast led with 12.9 per cent, followed by Southwest, 12.4; Middle Atlantic, 12.3; Central Industrials, 11.3; West Central, 10.6; New England, 10.1; Rocky Mountain, 13.8; Pacific Coast, 7.1.

RAIL INQUIRY

Johnson's Testimony Given

Washington, Dec. 16 (AP)—Replying to assertions that the Missouri Pacific Railway had "falsified" its books, J. P. Johnson, the road's vice president, told senate investigators today he had kept the accounts according to "my best judgment" of Interstate Commerce regulations.

He testified he knew "nothing" about other companies in the Van Sweringen transportation network, and that he first learned yesterday that $3,200,000 carried on his books as "special deposits" had actually been paid over in creditone by another Van Sweringen firm.

Evidence presented yesterday to the Senate's committee investigating railroad financing gave him at first knowledge that the $3,200,000 had been disbursed by Terminal Shares, Inc., to its creditors, John said.

The committee's record showed Missouri Pacific had turned the money over to Terminal Shares in payment for terminal properties in Kansas City and St. Joseph, Mo.

Chairman Wheeler (D-Mont.) of the committee asserted yesterday the Missouri Pacific had "created" the bank deposits.

Today Wheeler charged that one legal firm, Tolles, Hogsett and Ginn, of Cleveland, had "represented both buyer and seller" in the terminal financing.

"Was I does that for the record?" asked Thomas H. Jones, a member of the firm.

"You may deny it," Wheeler answered, "but the facts speak so loud we can't hear your voice."

He later explained his assertion by saying the firm "represented Alleghany Corporation, which controlled both buyer and seller."

Alleghany Corporation was the chief holding company in the Van Sweringen rail empire.

Johnson asserted that Wheeler's charges of "false" bookkeeping were "unjust at least so far as my company is concerned."

"Sometimes accountants disagree," he continued, "but I did the best I could."

SHAWMUT BANK Investment Trust

Shawmut Bank Investment Trust shares above for three months and $1.00 per share for the profit after interest on junior notes and after cost, from security sales of $1,322, which compares with a loss, in the same period a year ago of $10,125.

As of Nov. 30, 1936, the company's investments showed an excess of cost over market of $134,247, compared with an excess of cost over market of $118,686 a year ago.

To Oppose Major Revisions of Bank Laws

Washington, Dec. 16 (1936)—The administration will oppose any major revision of the National banking laws at the next session of Congress.

Heads of Federal fiscal and lending agencies meeting with Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau indicated today that all legislative proposals affecting banks would be of a minor and clarifying nature.

While no definite recommendations were drafted, it was agreed that the majority of President Roosevelt's emergency financial powers should be continued. Morgenthau and RFC Chairman Jesse H. Jones shared the opinion that the RFC should continue intact for at least another year.

Both feel that the recovery movement has progressed to the point that permits abandonment of RFC lending authority, Unless extended by Congress, the corporation's power to make loans terminates June 30, 1937.

The conferees also favored continuance of the $2,500,000,000 stabilization fund which, they said, might be altered the value of the dollar. Treasury officials already have indicated that they favor no change.

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Alum Co Can	146¾	145¾	146¾
Am Arch pf	39	39	39
Am Cable & Radio	58	57¾	58
Am Cyanamid B	15¾	15¾	15¾
Am Gas & El	31¾	31¼	31¾
Am Maracaibo	4¾	4¾	4¾
Am Superpower	1¾	1¾	1¾
Arg Wkgs 1st	100	100	100
Arnold Const	4¾	4¾	4¾
Asbestos Corp	30¾	30¼	30¾
Ashland Oil & Ref	5¾	5¾	5¾
Assoc Elec Ind	5¾	5¾	5¾
Atlas Corp	40¾	40¼	40¾
Atlas Corp wi	40¾	40¼	40¾
Atlas Plywood	30¾	30¼	30¾
Aviation Corp	6¾	6¾	6¾
Axton-Fisher A	70¾	70¼	70¾
BARIUM STAINS	4¾	4¼	4¾
Barium Steel	4¾	4¾	4¾
Beneficial Ind Loan	31¾	31¼	31¾
Borden & Co pf	108¾	108¼	108¾
Borg-Warner	71¾	71¼	71¾
Bruce E L	10¾	10¼	10¾
Bruce E L pf	70¾	70¼	70¾
Bunker Hill	3¾	3¾	3¾
Burco Inc	3¾	3¾	3¾
Burma Corp	3¾	3¾	3¾
Burroughs Add	14¾	14¼	14¾
Calamba Sugar	1¾	1¾	1¾
Calgary & Edm	14¾	14¼	14¾
Calif Ore Pwr pf	100¾	100¼	100¾
Canada Bread	3¾	3¾	3¾
Canada Bread pf	20¾	20¼	20¾
Canada Dry A	20¾	20¼	20¾
Canada Dry pf	108¾	108¼	108¾
Canada Malting	40¾	40¼	40¾
Canada Vinegars	20¾	20¼	20¾
Canadian Bakeries	14¾	14¼	14¾
Canadian Breweries	14¾	14¼	14¾
Canadian Canners	3¾	3¾	3¾
Canadian Canners A	3¾	3¾	3¾
Canadian Canners B	3¾	3¾	3¾
Canadian Celanese	14¾	14¼	14¾
Canadian Celanese pf	108¾	108¼	108¾
Canadian Dredge	14¾	14¼	14¾
Canadian Ind Alcohol	3¾	3¾	3¾
Canadian Ind Alcohol A	3¾	3¾	3¾
Canadian Ind Alcohol B	3¾	3¾	3¾
Canadian Ind Alcohol pf	108¾	108¼	108¾
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LICENSING BOARD for the City of Boston. Application No. 7423, December 16, 1936. Notice is hereby given that Thomas Chiapetta has applied for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of Wines and Malt Beverages to be drunk on the premises and a Retail Package Goods Store, at 2475 Washington Street and 1 Tavern, at 2475 Washington Street, Roxbury, to be drunk on the private yard, Jamaica Plain District, to said Boston, which application is now pending before the Board. DAVID F. MONTAGUE, EDWIN D. GALLAGHER, MARY CRIMCOLL, Licensing Board.

6 Deaths

BATES—In Cohasset, Dec. 14, Arthur E., in his 74th year. Services at the residence of Cohasset, Thursday, Dec. 17, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

COWINET—In Dorchester, Dec. 13, Nicholas J., husband of the late Josie (Carroll) Cowinet. Funeral from his late residence 26 Ellsworth st, Dorchester, Thursday at 8 o'clock. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Gregory's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

DONOVAN—In Arlington, Dec. 14, Susan A. (Brown), beloved wife of John Donovan. Funeral from her home 37 Lewis Ave., Thursday at 8:30 and from High mass of requiem in St. Agnes' church at 9. Relatives and friends invited. Late member of L. A. A. O. H. and St. Malachi Cl., M. C. O. F.

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LICENSING BOARD for the City of Boston. Application No. 1926, December 16, 1936. Notice is hereby given that Charlotte Chapter 128 of the General Laws, that Sadie Sandberg, of No. 30 Harvard Terrace, has applied for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of Wines and Malt Beverages to be drunk on the premises and a Retail Package Goods Store, at 2475 Washington Street and 1 Tavern, at 2475 Washington Street and Roxbury, to be drunk on the private yard, Jamaica Plain District, to said Boston, which application is now pending before the Board. DAVID F. MONTAGUE, EDWIN D. GALLAGHER, MARY CRIMCOLL, Licensing Board.

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GRIFFIN—In Dorchester, Dec. 14, 1936, Margaret T. (nee Mooney), wife of Michael J. Griffin. Funeral from her late home 184 Westville st., Thursday morning, Dec. 17, at 8:30 o'clock, thence to St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

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General Moncada's Sound Common Sense

NO MORE dangerous idea has of late been suggested for the Americas—and particularly for the United States—than that we should, in the present critical state of affairs in Europe and Asia, disarm.

This foolish proposition was, however, made by the Chilean delegation at the Inter-American Conference at Buenos Aires.

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FROM Nicaragua came, in the person of General Moncada, this answer, and it deserves to be studied by every inhabitant of these United States as a sound bit of Latin horse sense:

"WE HAVE NO RIGHT TO TAKE ANY MOVE TOWARD DISARMAMENT THAT WOULD ATTEMPT TO BIND THE UNITED STATES SO LONG AS COUNTRIES IN ASIA AND EUROPE CONTINUE ARMING TO THE TEETH. NAY, THEY ARE EVEN ARMING TO THE EYES. WHEN THEY LOOK TOWARD THE AMERICAS THEIR EYES LOOK AS THOUGH THEY HAD BAYONETS IN THEM.

"HOW CAN WE, THEN, TAKE ANY STEP THAT WOULD PUT THE LARGER COUNTRIES OF THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE AT A DISADVANTAGE WHEN THE TIME COMES? THEY MIGHT HAVE TO DEFEND THEMSELVES AND US FROM THESE WAR-LIKE NATIONS OF THE OLD WORLD. HOW CAN WE ASK ARGENTINA AND THE UNITED STATES TO LIMIT THEIR PURELY DEFENSIVE PREPARATIONS SO LONG AS THE REST OF THE WORLD INSISTS ON WAR?"

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GENERAL MONCADA does not make a plea here for aggression or for war, but for the obvious need of DEFENSE against a war-like world.

No country will sooner disarm than the United States when THE REST OF THE WORLD SHOWS THAT IT DESIRES PEACE.

No country desires peace more heartily, more sincerely and more profoundly than the ONLY NON-MILITARISTIC MAJOR POWER IN ALL HISTORY—THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

But it would be illogical and inane for any foreign country to deduce from this that we are not prepared to defend our institutions, our soil, our people and our wealth against any European or Asiatic Power that may mistake our non-aggressive attitude for weakness.

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IT IS just this that General Moncada saw and defended when he, usually a retiring man, sprang to his feet in A REASONED DEFENSE OF PREPAREDNESS FOR THE AMERICAS, and particularly for the guardian of the Western World—THE UNITED STATES.

Higher Tariff Wall Needed

IN spite of the general improvement in the New England textile industry, it becomes daily more apparent that our tariff wall against Japanese importations is not high enough.

The most casual study of the situation is sufficient to convince any interested person that the Oriental manufacturer, paying his workers only a few cents a day, is able to make his goods, ship them to this country, overcome tariff duties and then undersell even the cheapest of our domestic products.

This means that while thousands of American men and women remain jobless or dependent on relief work, American dollars go across the Pacific to enrich the Japanese.

With tariff duties as they are, no New England or American employer who pays wages ranging from fourteen to forty dollars a week can hope to compete with a foreigner whose wage scale averages about twenty-five cents a day.

This results in the creation of veritable monopoly on the cheaper manufactures by the Japanese and the setting aside of a portion of the American textile market as the EXCLUSIVE property of the Orient.

New England's welfare should be closer and dearer to the Tariff Commission in Washington than any foreigner's, regardless of his claims or business methods.

Japan should be compelled to compete with us, not we with her. And the basis of the competition should be the AMERICAN, not the Oriental, standard of living.

Dean Defends the R. O. T. C.

THE Reserve Officers' Training Corps in American colleges and universities has been effectively defended against its unthinking critics by Dean Berg of the New York University College of Arts and Science.

Dean Berg commends the corps as "an instrument of saving human life." He points to the horror of a situation, arising in the future, when America might again confront a war crisis without adequate facilities of defense.

In that situation, the needless sacrifice of human life would be an appalling penalty to pay for neglect of what Dean Berg terms "the wholesome and constructive training which the R.O.T.C. affords."

Money Asked for Home

PROMINENT citizens, headed by the Rt. Rev. Monsignor Richard J. Haberlin, vicar-general of the archdiocese, are conducting a state-wide campaign to obtain $50,000 for the Home for Italian Children in Jamaica Plain.

Throughout the depression, this worthy charitable enterprise has carried on, doing an important and necessary work without a single public appeal.

Now with building repairs required and mortgage payments mandatory, money must be raised.

The happiness and welfare of little children are important during the Christmas season. For that reason, the campaign goal must be reached and passed.

It Shall Not Happen Here

By Nelson Harding

Silenced by a gag tied tightly
By the iron hands of censors.
Quails a foreign press restricted
To dictated information.

That shall not be tolerated
In this democratic country
Where a press remains unshackled,
The first bulwark of our freedom.

New York Day by Day

By O. O. McIntyre

New York, Dec. 16—The commercial vision of the Rockefellers is again forcibly demonstrated by the final completion of Rockefeller Center. In 1932, when the first of the buildings was opened, it promised to be the most colossal real estate blunder on record. The Music Hall opening offered no solace.

Critics regarded it the most agonizing theatrical failure they ever witnessed when they left at 3 a. m. with the show still lumbering along like a tinseled, wounded elephant. It was such a flop it broke the heart of the master showman, Roxy, and caused his demise.

The erudite Walter Lippmann penned a jeremiad to the futility of the whole scheme and The New Yorker made it the theme of several cartoon hoots. Floor after floor of the giant spires were bedeviled and the population of the area was not more than 5000. People shuddered passing by.

O. O. McIntyre

Today Rockefeller Center has said good-bye to all that. Clockers have found that in the three blocks of new buildings there is a compact city of 100,000 souls. There are a few vacancies in ground floor shops but the office space is reaching asturation point.

The decision of the Rockefellers, junior, to give up their long established home in the shadows of Rockefeller Center for a Park avenue apartment removes two of the most familiar residences of the city for tourists. The elder Rockefeller home, next door, is also to go. They were comparatively modest symbols of the oil men's desire to shun show. Many residences all around were vastly more pretentious. The only marked difference was the decibied private guards who always lounged in the shadows. Fastidited apartment spires appealing especially to Gold Coast tenants will arise on the sites.

The elder Rockefeller's manse was the last private residence with a servants' hall on the grounds—a long two-storied brick affair the manner of Rhineland castle stables. In motorless days was a carriage for the servants to use on afternoons off. Families of extensive wealth, I am told, are keep in ignorance of servant trouble. A chatelaine becomes the boss and engages and discharges help and her job depends on seeing her employers are never bothered by trouble below stairs.

Real estate writers are referring to the strip in Park avenue lying between 46th and 59th streets as the new rue de la Paix. Since the Waldorf made its stand there with its clusters of botiques, the idea prevails that Park Lane next door and surrounding apartment buildings that sliced first floor space to make room for sparkling niches without signs. Clerks sport lapel flowers, black coats, ledger ruled trousers and other bi-falutiness.

They were talking of an expensive dinner Winnie Sheehan had served at LaSalle du Bois, a wacky restaurant. The host remembered the last moment a friend in Ohio had sent to his New York hotel a rask of old-fashioned up-the-holler apple butter, the sort that retained a delicate after cling of wood smoke. All the imported and domestic dainties were in tempting array but the touch everybody discussed over the coffee was the heap of apple butter served with the duck.

Psychiatrists in delving among the complexes say that tucked in every brain is the memory of an outstanding meal and invariably it was some simple repast in out-of-the-way surroundings—a catfish fry along a levee front, cheese, crackers and a tin of sardines in a country store self-served, an on the run pick-up at some prairie depot or a barbecue in the deep woods. Fritz Kreisler has a yen for corn-pone, pot likker and black-eyed peas and Arnold Bennett thought one of our delectable dishes was corn beef and cabbage.

My own most memorable meal was in Laredo, Texas, after six weeks of brimstone bounty in old Mexico. It was a stool and counter joint with country sausage covered with eggs scrambled in melted cheese—try that on your palate some sippy morning—and golden flapjacks with bitey sorghum. The three was the greatest I ever had around to watch me lay to. And as a token of my gustatory delight I left a dollar bill for each. And if you don't think that's appreciation you are not up on Scotch generosity.

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Listen, World!

By Elsie Robinson

Restless, aren't you? Discontented. Doesn't matter whom you're with, where you go or what you do—always there's the same nagging feeling of futility. Nothing's worth while!

Elsie Robinson

Of course, you try to hide it, pretend to be interested and excited, even if you fool others, you can't fool yourself. Life hasn't really meant anything for years. And you don't know why.

There's no big hurt in your life—no bitter tragedy. You've a nice enough home—a decent job—kindly friends and relatives. Others seem happy and eager with not half your breaks. Then why can't you?

You can. You will. But first you've got to get the dope straight . . . got to stop kidding yourself with this notion that you're "different" from other people . . . that you're suffering from some secret sorrow or discontent which doesn't affect them. You AREN'T . . . you're NOT.

Restlessness isn't a unique, personal ailment. It's a natural and universal condition. We're all like that, regardless of our lot or station. All mature human beings are afflicted with the same dissatisfaction—the same mocking emptiness—the same incessant itch to be or do something different.

A FRETFUL ANIMAL

But why? Because they're born that way. Old "homo sap" isn't born civilized, with a silk hat, noble ideals and nice table manners. He's born as other mammals are born—a peevish brute, as full of fleas as any jungle ape. And he acquires civilization by slow and painful steps.

You note enviously the other fellow's springy step, shining eyes and happy laugh—think what a lucky dog he is to be made that way. But you're wrong.

Nobody's made that way. Nobody's naturally happy, zestful or satisfied. All those attitudes are foreign to our restless, discontented jungle natures—and are achieved by strenuous and constant battle.

Life means something only if we make it mean something.

We get as much joy and stimulation out of life as we put into it—and no more. And there's no magic formula for turning the trick. Our problem won't be solved by "getting the right job" or "marrying the right person"—nor by graft or luck or any other outward circumstance.

Happiness is an inside job. And it can be achieved only by our own right attitude.

It isn't what happens that counts—but how we take those happenings. We can take them irritably, restlessly, indifferently, with resentment or self-pity. Or we can take them buoyantly, bravely, with dignity and good cheer.

AN AIMLESS LIFE

Why are you restless, discontented? Because you are taking life as an ape takes it—aimlessly—instead of mastering it like a man.

Why doesn't life mean anything? Because you haven't put any meaning into it. You've made no goal for yourself, selected no pattern—you're just mussing along, expecting something to turn up" which will make you serene and sure. And nothing ever will.

Life is as you take it. Life is what you make it. It's as brave and beautiful, as profitable and powerful as your own determination. Or as petty as your own pusillanimity.

Drifting along without getting anywhere? Then stop blaming the Other Fellow or cussing your environment and get busy on Exhibit A.

That's That

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Listening to the farewell broadcast of Edward VIII was like attending a funeral service. And that is what it was—a public, world-wide interment of the royal hopes of a prince who until a few hours before had been the greatest monarch on earth. And the prince himself officiated at his own last rites. Only the drama and the tragedy surrounding the occasion make the text of his farewell address enduring. What he said could have been reduced to 13 words:

"I could not rule without the woman I love. God save the king."

It is interesting to note that the formula pronounced in the British Parliament, formally announcing the end of the reign of Edward and the accession of George VI, was in French. The words were: "Le roi le veult" (the king wills it). Why, on such a momentous occasion, should an English speaking nation speak in French? Ceremonial forms, even when silly, are long enduring.

Of all the British dominions, only Ireland has shown a disposition to take advantage of the turn of the crown to kick over the traces." The Irish Free State parliament has voted to abolish the use of the king's name in the conduct of all domestic affairs. It would restrict British control over any Free State activity to foreign matters. That is regarded as a step toward the complete independence of Ireland.

Other British dominions apparently will stick with England. But it will be some time before the full effect of the sensational events of the last few days can be seen. Not infrequently, a man who is struck by an automobile appears to be uninjured. But a few days later he may be dead of injuries he did not first realize he had incurred.

Directly, the abdication of one British King and the accession of another does not affect us in the United States. But Great Britain's announcement that she will default again on December 15 on the 117 and one-half million-dollar debt payments due the United States does concern every taxpayer in this nation. What our British and French friends and other foreign debtors do not pay, American taxpayers will have to pay. EVERY DEFAULT BY A FOREIGN DEBTOR SHOULD BE A WARNING TO THE UNITED STATES NEVER TO LEND ANOTHER DOLLAR TO ANY FOREIGN NATION.

A Nashville, Tenn., educator tells Texas university students they should practice petting. He suggests that one thing in particular which college students need to learn is the "art of courtship." That should be classed as "unnecessary advice." If college students knew as much about the things they are sent to college to study as they do about "petting," no final examinations ever would be necessary to determine scholastic ratings.

Royal Love Affairs

The Human Side of the News

By Edwin C. Hill

A highly personalized national crisis is always more menacing than a mere conflict of ideas or of philosophies. It was Cardinal de Rohan's diamond necklace and a run of lesser scandals which blew up a blizzard of pamphlets, rallied mobs and toppled France in the crash of revolution. Apropos of Mrs. Simpson—and anything you mention these days swings into this discussion—I quote from Stefan Zweig's "Marie Antoinette":

Edwin C. Hill

"In troublous times, extreme visibility is extremely dangerous. If it is to become actively constant, if it is to manifest itself, it must be able to concentrate itself upon a human figure, which may be the banner-bearer of an ideal, or may be a target for stored hatred—as was, symbolically, the scapegoat of the Bible.

"The mysterious entity, 'the people,' can think only anthropomorphically, in terms of this or that individual. Abstract concepts lie in truth beyond its understanding, so that it cannot vent its energies in punishment of a fault unless it perceives a guilty person."

THE SAME FLAME

There, as today, a royal romance inflamed this avid mob-hunger for dramatic identification with the principles in the case. There is no sadder story in history than the love of Marie Antoinette for the brave Axel de Fersen, the handsome and glamorous Swedish knight errant, who all but saved her from the guillotine. Our radios and wirephotos give us a keener sense of immediacy; as we lean forward in our seats at Destiny's ringside and this Simpson episode, as H. L. Mencken says, "may be the biggest story since the Resurrection."

But there is sheen and shadow of a queen and a commoner in an earlier love which an unromantic age will find hard to match. That amazing gold coach of Antoinette's flight to Varennes would be a much better newsreel item than Mrs. Simpson's auto dash to Cannes.

This writer has no intention of paralleling King Edward's romance with ancient scandals. Both principals are of impeccable antecedents, but the flare-up is the same—caused by the slow combustion point of popular anger or enthusiasm when the spark is "human." Not all the lawyers, politicians and pundits in the world, working day and night shifts, can incite the populace like the way of a man with a maid—it's "the human side of the news."

A REAL MENACE

Democracies boil up more readily than autocracies. For centuries, czarist Russia was ridden with graft and brutality with no record of any great national scandal. But, in due time, with no safety valve, the lid blew off, as it did in the French revolution. The smaller and more homogeneous the country, the greater the danger of an explosion.

There is evidence that America, by the very fact of its size and complexity, has been able to digest many a national scandal which would have wrecked a smaller and more unified country. In the past, never was six or eight weeks getting anywhere, and we had time to cool off and never had a chance to get mad altogether and all at once.

Recently members of the Federal Radio Commission made statements to this effect. Radio and modern swift news-gathering impose restraints necessary in the days of slow communications and slow transport.

That seems reasonable. Certainly the world is all of a piece these days, and incitements to impassioned unthinking, crazy and uncontrollable mass action are more of a menace than to the days when a shrug of too much complacency about the doings of people in the public eye was worthfulness and too patient acquiescence in what they say and do." I do not think so.

In spite of the cruelty in England today, I think the British newspapers would have done better to handle the Simpson case on its merits, from the first, with decent restraint, of course, but with faithfulness to their obligation to print the news.

A Changing Civilization

By Merryle S. Rukeyser

The first law of business is to give the customers what they want.

Men of trade who ignore this principle and seek pigheadedly to impose their own tastes and judices on the public do so at their own peril.

In fashionable products, execution always keep this truism clearly in mind.

However, they are frequently not so realistic when it comes to developing ideas and social theories.

Bluntly, the people have given a mandate for a more abundant life, and business men would be ill-advised to oppose this yearning and offer instead outmoded mid-Victorian economic conceptions.

Lewis H. Brown, president of the Johns-Manville Corporation, admonishing business from the inside of the meaning of our changing civilization, gave members of the National Association of Manufacturers some unconsciously sage advice.

A GOLDEN AGE

Boiled down to a paragraph, this young and intelligent business leader said:

"Your great chance of having a part in guiding the destiny of your country lies clearly before you. The tools are there and you are already skilled in their use. Find out what your customers want. Deliver it to them. Prove to them that the American system of private enterprise can deliver more for less than any system of social economics the world has yet seen.

"Make your employes and stockholders realize they are partners in this enterprise. Sell ideas as well as products to them and to your customers. Make them proud of its accomplishments and help to be a part of the American system—help in helping to build the bigger theater.

"That is your task. It MUST be done!"

Translated into terms of business opportunity, this involves a return to the old leadership in trade by younger, more progressive and more socially minded persons.

It holds out the promise not only for a great society, but also for a golden age of unprecedentedly high real wages and adequate profits.

A MORE FRUITFUL LIFE

Any economic system which fulfills the inner yearnings of the people rests on a foundation of granite, and under the conditions which Mr. Brown envisages all investments will be safer and more promising.

Turning his back on defeatism, Mr. Brown has unfurled the banner of the new promise of American life.

He has infused confidence that the golden age—in an economic sense—is ahead of us.

He has suggested an economically sound basis for the economy of abundance.

Mr. Brown gives business men a new vision and a fresh incentive.

He ties the problems of the workaday world to the inspirational appeal of a practical idealism.

The attainment of steady work and proper purchasing power and leisure presupposes a willingness of the groups to cooperate.

Progress depends on the willingness of government and business and of labor and management to work harmoniously together.

It is encouraging that business leaders are showing a growing sense of the need for cooperation and a sympathetic understandingness of the social aspirations of the people.

By Bruce Gusti

Today's Text: "Consider how the great things He hath done for you."—I Samuel 12:24.
Suggested by the Rev. Dr. Wellington C. Prialer, Methodist Church, Westfield.